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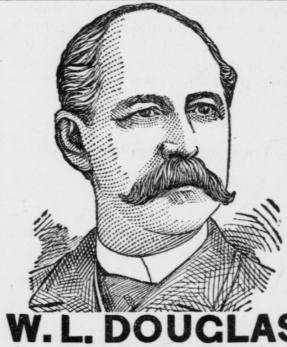
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News Notes Gathered In And About The

Mrs. W. V. Shaw is visiting her parents at Butler.

Miller Best of Avondale, Onio, is the guest of relatives here.

Marshal Chas. Thomas is able to set up. but has not been out.

Miss Bessie Botts, of Owingsville, is the guest of Miss Lida Clarke.

Mr. Lee Woodford, of Carlisle, is the guest of Mr. Walter Stirman. Miss Alma Collier, of Mt. Sterling,

the guest of Miss Mamie Conway. Mr. Thos. McClintock went to Atlanta Friday with a car of good mules.

M. H. O'Neal went to Mayslick Saturday to visit friends until Monday.

Matt Ray and wife from Fairview, are gnests of relatives here this week.

WANTED -Five good feeding heifers, Weight about 700 lbs. T. M. PURNELL. Mrs. G. S Allen is visiting her sister,

Mrs. Roundus Payne, at Payne's Depot. Mi-ses Anna Thornton visited friends in Carlisle from Saturday until Monday. Sheriff Hook, of Bracken, is the

gnest of Mr. Jas. A. Butler and family. Josh Ewing, of Bath, has been the guest of Richard Grimes for several

went to Stanford Saturday to visit lady

Miss Mattie Power is at home for the holidays from her school, at Pleasant

Miss Nannie Young, of Montgomery, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Ida Wm. Ballenger and family, of Avon, Fayette, are visiting Lewis Merrime-

Mrs. Jas. Summers has been very ill for several days past with neuralgia of

the heart.

Mr. Lucian Curtis, of Versailles. was the guest of parents here, Friday and

Miss Maud Spears of Lexington, is the guest of Mrs. America Butler during

Mr L. W. Humble, of the Mt. Olivet Advance, is the guest of Earl Current Miss Bille Stockwell, of Flemings-

father, Dr. C. Pope.

Mr. J. G. Allen and daughter Lizzie. visited Mrs. Louis Rogers, Sunday, near North Middletown. Master Johnnie Shay shot off a part

of one finger Saturday while fooling with an unloaded pistol. With the exception of the arrest of

six tramps there has been but one arrest in town during Christmas. Mr. Chas. Clarke's new addition to his home caught fire Saturday but was ex-

tinguished without serious loss. There will be another glove contest here some time this week, and the pre-

liminaries are now being arranged. Mr. Chas. Clark and bride returned Saturday from Cincinnati and entertained a few of their friends Saturday night.

Miss Lilla Cartis returned Sunday from a visit at Mt. Olivet. She was accompanied by Mr. Walter Green and teed

Wm. Butler and Arthur Best, of Cincinnati, and Graham Smedley, of Georgetown College, are at home for the holidays.

Mr. Heisel, agent for Leggett & Myers Tobacco Co, bought 14,000 pounds of tobacco Saturday at \$11,75. from A. O. Robertson.

Miss Dixie Sprake, of Cynthiana, was the guest of Misses Layson, near town, Friday. Miss Alice Ammerman returned home with her.

open grate, and was badly burned on for keeping and advertising the face right side and left arm.

Rev. Morris Evans, of Texas, has been the guest of his niece Mrs. Harmon Stitt for several days. He preached at M. E. Church Sunday morning.

J. M. Brown and wife of Lexington, are guests of Mrs. Tom Conway. Master Harold Conway returned with them and thinks his hearing entirety cured.

Mrs. C. M. Best left Thursday for Pittsburg to spend Christmas with relatives. Her sister, Miss Mabel Dotts, returned to her home in Philadelphia last

From late reports Miss Kate Purnell, of Fulton, Mo., is not expected to live. The doctors have given up all hopes of her recovery. She has inflamation of

Mr. Tom Prather and wife, of Mayslick, and Mr. E. T. Beeding and family, of Paris, were the guests of Misses Nora and Eugene Wadell from Saturday until Monday.

Misses Lizzie McClintock, of Owingsville. Miss Jennie McClintock, of Chicago University, are spending the holidays with their parents, Thos.

Children them. We have a line \$2.50, cash in advance.

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Catarrh invariably leads to consumption. Growing worse and worse each winter, those who rely upon the usual treatment of sprays, washes and inhaling mixtures find that it is impossible to check the disease with these local applications which only reach the surface. The offensive discharge increases all the while, and gets deeper until it is only a question of a short time when

the lungs are affected. The importance of the proper treatment can therefore be readily appreciated. But no good whatever can be expected from local applications, as such treatment never did cure Catarrh, and never will. Being a blood disease of the most obstinate nature, Swift's Specific (S.S.S.) is the only remedy which can have the slightest effect upon Catarrh. It is the only blood remedy that goes down to the bottom of all stubborn diseases which other remedies

cannot reach. Mrs. Josephine Polhill, of Due West, S. C., writes:

"I had such a severe case of Catarrh that I lost my hearing in one Messrs. S. M. Allen and Layson Tarr ear, and part of the bone in my nose sloughed off. I was constantly treated



with sprays and washes, but each winter the disease seemed to have a firmer hold on me. I had finally been declared incurable when I decided to try S. S. S. It seemed to get right

disease, and cured me permanently, for I have had no touch of Catarrh for seven years."

The experience of Mr. Chas. A. Parr, of Athens, Ga., was like that of all others who vainly seek a cure in local treatment. He says:

"For years I suffered from a severe case of Catarrh, the many offensive symptoms being accompanied by severe pains in the head. I took several kinds of medicines recommended for Catarrh, and used various local applications, but they had no effect whatev-

er. I was induced to Mrs. Lida Pope Arnold has gone to take S. S. S. (Swift's Arkadelphia, Ark., to reside with her Specific) and after four months I was perfectly well, and have never felt any

effects of the disease since." Those who have had the first touchof Catarrh will save endless suffering by taking the right remedy at the outset. Others who have for years sought relief and found only disappointment in local treatment will find it wise to waste no further time on sprays, washes, inhaling mixtures, etc., which are only temporary, and cannot save them from dreaded Consumption. They should take a remedy which will cure them because it can reach their trouble. S.S.S. is the only blood remedy which can reach Catarrh; it promptly gets at the very bottom of the disease,

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> J. L. DEAVER. Paris, Ky.

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### HEAVY FAILURE.

The Chestnut Street National Bank of Philadelphia, Suspends.

The Last Government Report of the Banking Concern Was Satisfactory and Its Reputation Was of the Highest-State and City Funds in the Bank.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—The doors of the Chestnut Street National bank were closed Thursday morning by direction of National Bank Examiner Hardt. Its affairs are now in the hands of the bank examiner. Wm. M. Singerly is president of the bank. The Chestnut Street Trust Co., which operated in conjunction with the bank, also suspended. Mr. Singerly is also president of the trust company.

The bank's suspension, however, was a great surprise, especially so in view of the high standing of its officers. Wm. M. Singerly is its president and Isaac Cooper vice president. The bank was started in 1887 on a capital of \$500,000 with Robert E. Pattison as president. When the latter took his seat as governor of Pennsylvania in in the coiners' department, \$20,032. 1891, Mr. Singerly succeeded him as president of the bank. No statement of the bank's liabilities could be obtained Thursday morning.

The Chestnut Street Trust and Saving Fund Co., the officers of which are identical with those of the bank, and the offices being located in the same building, was also closed for business Thursday, but to what extent the trust company is involved in the bank's affairs has not yet been announced.

The last report of the condition of the Chestnut Street National bank made on October 5, 1897, was:

Resources-Loans and discounts. \$2 .-790,508.65; overdrafts, secured and unsecured, \$3,552.34; United States bonds to secure circulation, \$50,000; United States bonds to secure United State deposits, \$100,000; premium on United States bonds, \$10,500; due from national banks, \$226,631.70 due from state banks and bankers, \$8,851.46; due from approved reserve agents, 300,732.78; checks and other cash items, \$54,387.74; exchanges for clearing house, \$174,595. 47; notes of other national banks, \$3.184; fractional paper currency, nickels and cents, \$2,835.94; lawful money reserve in bank, \$140,040.50; redemption fund with United States treasurer, \$2,250; total, \$3,868,070.58.

Liabilities-Capital stock paid in, \$500,000; surplus fund, \$150,000; undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, \$24,924.86; national bank notes outstanding, \$43,600; due to other national banks, \$506,110.41; due to state banks and bankers, \$134,771.70; individual deposits subject to checks, \$2,035,-856; demand certificates of deposit. \$11,520; cashiers' checks outstanding, \$126,572.51; United States deposits, \$94,715.10; bills payable, \$250,000; total,

The bank was a city depository and there were city funds in the bank to the amount of \$289,845. The state of the bank on December 1 \$225,000, according to the official statement of that date.

the national government, but the govby holding \$100,000 United States bonds

as security. funds of the city police and firemen's meet it's liabilities.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Mr. Eckels, the controller of the currency, said Philadelphia, that the suspension was light in color. primarily due to the shrinkage in the value of the bonds and notes of the Singerly pulp and paper mills, located at Elkton, Md. The capital of the bank is \$500,000, and at the present time its deposits aggregate about \$1,700,000 and its surplus about \$150,-000. Mr. Eckels has been in Philadelphia several times recently trying to make arrangements by which the pulp and paper mills securities could be taken out of the assets of the bank and preferred stock of the Philadelphia Record Co. substituted. By this and certain other changes Mr. Eckels hoped to put the bank in first-class condition. Mr. Eckels expressed the belief that the bank ultimately would pay every dollar it owes. The Philadelphia Record. which is owned by President Singerly, Mr. Eckels said, is a very valuable property, paying about five per cent. annually on about \$5,000,000.

Boston, Dec. 24.—At the Third national bank, the correspondent of the Chestnut street national bank of Philadelphia, which failed Thursday, it was said that the Philadelphia institution has sufficient balances here to cover any outstanding liabilities, and that none of the Boston banks will lose anything on account of the failure.

The Charity Rabbit Hunt.

Paris, Mo., Dec. 24.—The charity rabbit hunt which was held in this county was a great success. All day come to the conclusion, after studying long farmers have been bringing in the situation at length, to give up all the game, which was shipped to St. | thought of retiring and remain at the Louis to the provision association to head of the local club." The St. Louis be distributed among the poor for president's plans, as far as known, are Christmas dinner. Over 3,000 rabbits to interest Mr. Brush, of Cincinnati, were sent from the different stations in Monroe county.

Noted Criminal Dead.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 24.-Lorenzo Pelton, the noted old counterfeiter. who, for so long had federal detectives all over the country on the run. died Thursday night at his home, 610 Myrtle street, of consumption. Twenty last, and under the sentence of the years ago he was sent to the Columbus prison for burglary. He escaped twice of March next, unless the supreme and both times was found at his home here. He was arrested many other time interposes. times in Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago. The last time he was sent up for counterfeiting he was operating with little Dick Howard, who is now serving a term in the penitentiary at Jackson, Miss

## WAGES REDUCED.

The Pay of the Employes at the San Francisco Mint Cut.

The President Will Take a Much Needed Rest-The Gunboat Marietta Encounters a Storm-The Minister to Liberia -Successor to Col. Wm. Morrison.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—By direction the secretary of the treasury the compensations of the employes of the United States mint at San Francisco have been reduced in the aggregate \$41,148 per annum. By this reduction the compensation to be paid will be practically the same as at the mint at Philadelphia. There are about 198 employes at San Francisco, and the pay of all but 35 will be cut. As a rule men getting \$6 per day hereafter will receive \$5, and corresponding reductions are made in the lower grades. The reductions in the general department will aggregare \$8,919; in the assaver's department, \$2,504; in the melter and refiners' department, \$9,693, : n ! on January 1.

be closed to all except those who call upon urgent official business or who have engagements to see the president, in order that Mr. McKinley may consider some important questions and obtain a needed rest. The death of the death of his cousin, Mrs. Chas. R. Miller, of Canton, caused an entire abandonment of preparations for holiday festivities at the white house. Christmas day will be observed quietly. Only their immediate household, which includes their nieces, Mrs. Barber and Miss Duncan, and two or three personal friends will be present at the Christmas dinner.

scribing the experience of the vessel in a cyclone during her trip from Sitka, Alaska, to San Francisco. The commander says the seas were very heavy and one came aboard smashing some of the brass stanchions. The vessel was then brought up into the wind and hove to, attached to a sea anchor or drag. In this position she took the big seas handsomely, shipping nothing more than spray over her bows. Altogether the commander expresses the greatest admiration for the Marietta's

Representative White, of North Carolina, had an interview with the president Thursday with reference to the appointment of the minister to Liberia. It is understood that Mr. White obtained the president's promise to nominate Rev. Owen L. W. Smith, of North Carolina, one of Representative White's

It is believed that the president has Pennsylvania also had on deposit with decided to appoint Judge Paxson, of Pennsylvania, as a member of the interstate commerce commission, to suc-State Treasury Haywood, issued on ceed Col. Wm. R. Morrison, whose term will expire in January. The The bank was also a depository of president Thursday informed Senator Deboe, of Kentucky, who called upon ernment is fully protected against loss him in the interest of Mayor Todd, of Louisville, that the position was promised, and it is thought that Judge Pax-It is said that the bank holds the son is the man slated for the place.

Washington, Dec. 24-The secret pension fund, the school teachers pen. service division of the treasury gives sion and annuity fund and deposits of notice of a new counterfeit \$5 silver the Fairmount park commission which certificate. It is of the series of 1896; latter includes bequests for the park check letter C; face plate number 22; improvement. During the past few back plate number 12; J. Fount Tillweeks President Singerly has made man, register; D. N. Morgan, treasurgreat efforts to enable the bank to er; No. 2,852,687. It is printed on two thin sheets of paper with the silk fibers between. The silk, however, is too heavy. The most marked defect is in Thursday in regard to the failure of the numbering which is too small, the Chestnut street national bank of while the green ink on the back is too

Biggest Swindle of the Age.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Warrants were issued Thursday for the arrest of ten men and three women, who were the principals in the big E. S. Dean Co. discretionary pool scheme, the greatest swindle of this generation. The gang fleeced 30,000 victims, and the amount realized was \$7,000,000. It was the biggest swindle since the days of the Credit Mobilier. Recent disclosures show that, although millions of dollars poured in upon the swindlers, there is no indication that they used a cent of it for investment.

Ex-Cashier Burr Pardoned.

St. Louis, Dec. 24.—Wm. E. Burr, jr., ex-cashier of the St. Louis national bank, now serving a sentence of five years at the Jefferson City state penitentiary for the embezzlement of \$20,-000 has been pardoned by President McKinley. The pardon it is said, was issued on the recommendation of Attorney General McKenna who received petitions of clemency from National Republican Committeeman Korins, the two democratic senators and other influential people of the state.

Chris Von Der Ahe Will Not Retire. St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 24.-Chris Von Der Ahe, owner of the St. Louis baseball club, said Thursday: "I have and other eastern capitalists in the Browns.

John Andersen to Hang March 18. Norfolk, Va., Dec. 24.-John Andersen was Thursday convicted of the murder of William Wallace Saunders, mate of the schooner Olive Pecker, on the high seas, on the 6th of August court must be hanged on the 18th day court of the United States in the mean-

Death of George Croker. NEW YORK, Dec. 24.-Geo. Croker, brother of Richard Croker, died at midnight Thursday at the residence of Dr.

Wm. T. Jenkins on Staten Island

### NO DEMAND

Made on Spain for \$8,000,000 for An Army of Ten Thousand Men to Be Indemnity to American Traders.

As Cabled From Madrid-Secretary of State Sherman Knows Nothing About It-Recent Tragic Death of Miss Liela Herbert the Cause of Another Suicide.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 32 .- Secretary of State Sherman was seen Sunday night to American traders for damages sus-The secretary stated that if any such i heard of it.

absolutely nothing in the story. Some one may have attempted to foot up all the individual claims that have been filed, but even on that supposition I should not attempt to say their estimate was correct.'

that no information had been received and North China. The new arrangement goes into effect of any such action. The legation had

bulk would be made. navy, is given as the reason for the suicide, which occurred Sunday, of president's mother and the more recent | Miss Annie Virginia Wells, an accomplished young society woman and as extremely distant." daughter of Mr. Lewis S. Wells, a well the president and Mrs. McKinley and of her father, 1311 N. Street, north-

number of times, and was very much his most secret plans. attached to her. She herself had been confined to the house for four months | from Shanghai says: The navy department has received a by illness, and this, combined with the friend, brought on melancholia which resulted in suicide. The deed was apfestivities in the house, completely prostrated her aged mother.

Miss Wells was 33 years of age and very beautiful.

### BRITISH STEAMER.

Laden With Cattle, Cotton, Grain and a General Cargo, Arrives in Port With Her Cotton on Fire.

here with her cotton on fire and the oppose them. ship in a bad state.

On Friday afternoon the fire was diswith steam and water. The captain headed the vessel for this port; and for tling the fire, which steadily gaining, spread to the fore compartment.

rible weather in trying to reach here. the Union Jack has been hoisted on an Her sides and deck were almost un- island in the mouth of the river Yang bearable with heat, and the provisions | Tse Kiang. were spoiled by steam and smoke. The paint is now peeling off her sides, while gangs of men are landing the cattle, almost maddened with heat.

Capt. Humphreys admits that he could not have controlled the fire 24 hours longer. Holes are being cut in her sides to admit more steam pipes in the hope of having the fire subdued by Tuesday, when the cotton will be disdamaged.

## ELECTRIC CAR

Runs Wild Down a Hill-Three Persons Badly Injured.

speed of an express train and shot across North Main street and into the pact of the collision was sa death. great that some of the heavy iron work on the car was doubled up and the corner post of the building, which acted as a buffer for the runaway car, was badly splintered. That the occupants of the car escaped with their lives is remarkable. There were bout ten passengers in the car at the time, besides the motorman and con-

The injured are: Mrs. Sarah Malufsky, crushed and bruised in the abdomen and head cut; Conductor I. F. Mott, shoulder dislocated and bruised about the upper part of the body; Chas. H. Holmes, bruised about right leg and back injured.

One of the most surprising things was the escape of the motorman, Louis E. Morrow, who stuck to his post.

Aged Cou ple Murdered. INDIANA, Pa., Dec. 27.-Milton Neal and his aged wife were shot to death by an unknown assassin at their home near Jacksonville, southwest of here, some time during Christmas. Their bodies were found at 9 o'clock that night by their son, Harry, who was passing the house and stopped to pay a Christian call on his parents. Neal was one of the most prominent and prosperous farmers of the vicinity in which he lived.

Riao-Chau Leased to Germany. BERLIN, Dec. 27.-An inspired Chinese organ published here says that the Chinese emperor, in order to avoid the reproach of having lost territory, will lease Kiao-Chau to Germany in perpetuity at a low rate, with all the rights of sovereignty that England exercises at Hong Kong.

Banker Dies of Pneumonia. WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 27 .- J. W. Allen, of the banking firm of Winslow & Allen, died in this city Sunday of pneumonia, aged 37 years. He was United States consul at Zanzibar from 1892 to

## RUSSIAN SOLDIERS.

Quartered at Port Arthur.

England Will Oppose the Russianization of Corea and North China - Englishmen and Germans in China's Service Will Be Dismissed at End of Contracts.

London, Dec. 27.-Russia, according to a special dispatch from Shanghai regarding a story cabled from Madrid is preparing temporary headquarters to the effect the United States had de- for 10,000 troops at Port Arthur. She manded of Spain \$8,000,000 indemnity has obtained a half promise from the grand council at Peking to dismiss Sir tained through the rebellion in Cuba. Robert Hart, director of Chinese imperial maritime customs, and other demand had been made he had not high customs officials, in addition to the British railway officers and the Judge Day, assistant secretary of German officers and instructors. Fifty state, said: "So far as I know there is of the latter, the dispatch says, received notice Friday that they would object of procuring shipments of be paid off at the termination of their contracts.

Contrary to general report, the dispatch asserts that there is good reason to believe Great Britain will actively of the agency by a special examiner At the Spanish legation it was said oppose the Russianization of Corea

The Daily Mail publishes a dispatch heretofore been notified of the filing of Friday morning from Tokio which, During the remainder of the present all individual claims, but it was it claims, evaded active censorship. week the white house will practically thought improbable that any claim in The dispatch says: "England and Japan, without entering upon an actual daughter of the ex-secretary of the sult in a joint naval demonstration at the Stickeen trade. The boats are exthe entrance of the Gulf Pe-chi-li.

"In diplomatic circles at Tokio the probability of the conflict is regarded

known attorney. The young woman | nal Zukunft combats the statement | boat missing from the Cleveland, shot herself through the heart with that Prince Bismarck had suddenly beher brother's revolver at the residence come an enthusiastic supporter of the Chinese expedition and that, during his recent visit to Friedrichsruhe, Em-Miss Wells had met Miss Herbert a peror William confided to the prince

London, Dec. 27.—A special dispatch

west of Stoul, supporting the British consul's protest, really amounting to parently entirely unpremeditated, and an ultimatum against the king's praccoming immediately after Christmas tically yielding the government of Corea into the hands of the Russian minister.

"The protest is especially directed against the dismissal of McLeavy Brown, British adviser to the Corean customs, in favor of the Russian nominee. The news has produced consternation at Seoul, which is heightened by the knowledge that Japan has St. Johns, N. F., Dec. 27.-The Brit- a fleet of 30 warships awaiting the reish steamer Lamberts Point, Capt. sult of the British representation that Humphreys, seven days from Norfolk, Japan fully supports. Japan is irri-Va., for Liverpool, with cattle, cotton, tated by the arrival of Russian troops grain and a general cargo, has arrived in Corea and it is believed that she will

"According to advices from Tokio, Japan has offered to assist the officers covered in the compartment amidships. at Pekin in drilling the Chinese army It gained headway rapidly. Holes and to consent to a postponement of were cut in the cabin flooring, pipes the war indemnity. Many of the inserted and the compartment flooded viceroys and Pekin officials favor the proposal."

According to a dispatch to the Daily 40 hours nobody rested, all hands bat- Mail from Shanghai, it is reported there, from reliable sources, that British force landed at Chemulpo on It then became necessary to flood | Saturday and caused the reinstatement this, which gave the ship a list of 17 of McLeavy Brown. The same disdegrees to the starboard. She met ter- patch refers to "a native rumor that

## A QUIET NAP.

Boy Found Dead From Cold and Exposure in an Outhouse-Man Found Dead on a

mer, 16 years old, was found dead from exposure in an outhouse in the rear of the different Chinese ports he will 2651 Marshall street Sunday afternoon. | visit. He lived with his grand parents. He charged until the seat of the fire is left home early Christmas morning and reached. Nearly the entire cargo was was not again seen alive by his rertives. It is surmised that his object in going where his body was found | Salisbury to accept the advice, "bewas to take a quiet nap.

A man supposed to be Joseph M. Morency was found dead on the door- | China.' PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 27.—At noon | step at 1235 Filbert street, Sunday. His Sunday a Camp street car ran wild and death is supposed to have been due to rushed down Olney street hill with the exposure and cold, and the coroner's district deputy, who had charge of the case, is of the opinion that the man corner of a frame building. The im- fell asleep on the step and froze to

## NEW SOCIETY

For the Protection of Penniless Tenants of New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Poor, penniless tenants of the East Side, whose importunities for further time in which to pay their rent the granite-hearted landlords refused to heed as the new year approaches, have a stanch, substantial friend in the Tenants' Aid so ciety that has just been organized.

Not only will the legal rights of evicted tenants and those threatened with eviction be looked after by competent counsel in the courts, but physicians will be furnished for those who

The president of the society is Daniel W. Blumenthal; vice president, Maurice B. Blumenthal, secretary and chief physician, Samuel Stern, and treasurer. Dr. Samuel Rottenberg.

The Idea Ridiculed. London, Dec. 27. - The Daily Chronicle Monday morning ridicules the notion that England is negotiating for the purchase of the Danish West Indies. It says: "Quite apart from the breach it would make in our relations with the United States, the purchase of more West Indian islands is the very last thing England would think of."

Naval and Coaling Stations. London, Dec. 27.—A dispatch from Copenhagen to the Daily Mail says the Washington executive has made overtures to Denmark for the sale of a narrow but carefully defined stretch of land in Northwestern Greenland, where the Americans intend to establish naval and coaling stations.

Klobedanz and Bergen Sign. Boston, Mass., Dec. 27.-The first two players of the regular team to sign contracts are Pitcher Klobedanz and Catcher Bergen, whose contracts were received by President Soden Fri-

## NEWS ITEMS.

The supreme court of Illinois has declared the jury commission law to be constitutional. William Schoenlank, the consul gen-

eral of the Central American republics s dead in Berlin.

The Alma national bank of Alma, Kan., has been authorized to begin business. Capital \$50,000. It is understood that John V. George.

a brother of Henry George, will soon be reinstated as a special inspector of Prince Bismarck, who for the past few days has been ill, is now again en-

joying satisfactory health. He spent Christmas quietly with his family. The Russian government has entered into communication with the government of New South Wales, with the

It is denied at the United States pension office in New York that wholesale frauds were discovered in the payrolls sent on from Washington. Forty weavers at the Bridgeton, N. J.

woolen mills struck Friday on account

meats to Vladivostock.

of a heavy fine list and as a result 200 hands are thrown out of employment. The mills have plenty of orders. James C. Ollard, of Tacoma, has WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The recent alliance, have arrived at a complete un- closed a contract for three twin screw tragic death of Miss Liela Herbert, the derstanding which will probably re- steamers for use on Lake Teslin and

> pected to make 16 knots an hour. News has reached Victoria, B. C., that the steamer Willpa returned to Ucuclat from the north sound of the BERLIN, Dec. 2.-The weekly jour- island without finding any trace of the to-Date.

The Viennese papers comment with ill-disguised joy on the rumor from Berlin that England's confidential inquiries at Washington regarding common action in China have failed of the desired result.

The medal which was recently presented to Lieut. Perry, U. S. N., the Daly, Gen. Pass. Agt., Cleveland. "It is reported that 17 British war- Arctic explorer, by the Edinburgh report from Commander F. M. Sy- shock caused by the death of her ships are off Chemulpo, Corea, south- Geographical society, and which was subsequently lost, has been found in a Democrat. theater in London.

> A board of medical examiners of the marine hospital service will be convened in Washington on January 25, 1898, for the purpose of examining applicants for the position of assistant surgeon in that service.

> The army pack train has left Cheyenne, Wyo., for Alaska, 12 packers and 62 mules forming the outfit. Before leaving the packers wages were increased from \$50 to \$150 a month and the chief packers from \$150 to \$250 a

> Samuel Sloan, president of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad, was Thursday presented with a \$16,000 golden service by the officials and employes of the company in commemoration of his eightieth birthday, which falls on Christmas.

> Through his attorneys Stephen A Jenks, a stockholder, made application to United States Judge Adams at St. Louis Friday for a receiver for the Herring-Hall-Marvin Co., manufacturers of safes. Judge Adams named Matthew Leonard as receiver.

According to the Washington correspondent of the New York World, it has decided that J. W. Wills, of New Haven, Ct., will be made chief justice of the supreme court of New Mexico. His nomination will not be sent in until after the holiday recess.

The Berlin Neuste Nachrichten says that since the occupation of Kiao-Chau bay the Chinese government has engaged German military instructors Scrofula and PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—John Col- and is now arranging for fitting receptions of Prince Henry, of Prussia, at

The Novoe Vremya, of St. Petersburg, advises England to come to an arrangement with Russia, France and Germany, but says it does not expect Lord If you suffer from cause under such an arrangement England would not get the lion's share of

A pension has been granted to the widow of Knud Knudsen, a soldier in the late war, the back pay of which aggregates over \$4,000. The man is a native of Norway and was married to the woman who now gets the pension in April, 1858. The woman never left Norway.

Conrad P. Heins, who left New York last September to ride to San Francisco on a wager and make the golden gate in 80 days has arrived. He made the trip of 3,912 miles in 83 days, after going through seven rain storms, five snow storms, one blizzard and three sand storms.

Formal steps have been taken in Denver, Col., by the incorporation of the Abraham Lincoln Memorial association for the establishment of a suit able monument to the martyred president in Colorada. The site selected is the summit of Mount Lookout in the Arkansas valley.

Amid seenes of riotous disorder and ntense excitement the Illinois house Thursday passed the republican senatorial apportionment bill by a vote of 79 yeas to 54 nays. There were but two votes to spare. It was a hairbreadth escape from defeat for the republican managers.

George W. Simpson, president of the Fort Worth, Tex., stockyards, who has been appointed special food commissioner to the island of Cuba, will sail for Havana next week. He has instructions from the agricultural department to make an explicit report on the food situation existing in Cuba.

The mammoth tramp steamer Algoa sailed from Tacoma Wednesday night, with the largest cargo of grain ever loaded in a single vessel, carrying 377,-509 bushels of wheat valued at \$312,-000. The Algoa is bound for the northwest coast of Africa and is expected to be about 75 days making the voyage.

Mr. N. B. Scott, recently appointed commissioner of internal revenue, has notified the department that he will be in Washington on December 27. It is expected that Mr. Scott will take charge of the office about January 1 Mr. Formen, the present commissioner, will return to East St. Louis, Ill., and resume the practice of law.

Rush to the Klondike.

The railroads are confidently expecting a big rush of travel to the Klondike in the spring. It is estimated that fully 100,000 people will attempt to reach the gold fields as soon as the winter is over, and with a desire to turn a nimble penny at every opportunity trunk lines are beginning to prepare for the expected rush. One of the first in the field is the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, which has already begun the running of the through tourist car from New York City to San Francisco without change by way of Philadelphia, Washington, Parkersburg and Cincinnati, reaching St. Louis Wednesday evening, Texarkana Thursday afternoon, El Paso, Texas, Friday evening and San Francisco Sunday morning. This service is in addition to the one provided by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad from Pittsburgh by way of Cincinnati and the Illinois Central to New Orleans and the Southern Pacific through to the coast, the Pittsburgh car leaving every Wednesday. The New York car on its return leaves San Francisco Monday evening, and the Pittsburgh car leaves on Thursday.

### Categorical.

"But what do you mean by saying that the man was more or less intoxicated?" asked the lawyer. "Lemme see," said the witness, as he scratched his chin. "I guess I mean that if he had been more intoxicated he would have been drunk, and if he had been less he would have been sober. How'll that do?"-Indianapolis Journal.

Tremendous Exodus to the Klondike. Despite the warnings of those who have been on the spot, and predict suffering in the Klondike region, thousands of adventurous Americans are wending their way thitherward. All of them should be provided with that medicinal safeguard, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which warms and nourishes the system, and prevents malaria, rheumatism, kidney trouble, besides remedying liver complaint, dyspepsia and consti-

The Poker Variety. Depew—See any sharks coming over? Depond—Yes; played with a couple.—Up

Holiday Reduction. For the Christmas and New Year holidays, the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus R'y will sell low rate excursion tickets to all points on its line and to prominent points on connecting railroads. Tickets on sale December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1897, and January 1st, 1898, good returning until January 4th, 1898. Ask Agents for particulars. C. F.

We wish somebody would invent suspenders that never wear out.-Washington

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

A girl stands before a mirror while dressing so she can see what is going on.—Chicago News.

For Homeseeker's Excursion dates via the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Ry. and information of their tourist sleeper arrangement, address H. F. Bowsher, 435 Walnut St., Cincinnati, Ohio. If women were as trifling as some men

there would be more divorces.-Washing-

ton Democrat. Fits stopped free and permanently cured. No fits after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Free \$2 trial hottle &

Very few people read a new book until it appears at the public library. Atchison

treatise. Dr. Kline, 933 Arch st., Phila., Pa.

Gentle treatment. St. Jacobs Oil soothes Neuralgia and cures it. It fades away. A writing teacher is no account for any-

thing else.—Washington Democrat. How to cure Rheumatism? Use St. Jacobs Oil. It subdues. It cures.

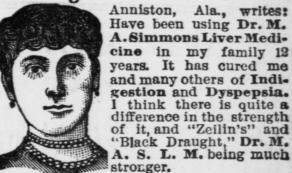
He that hath a faithful wife should take good care of her.—Farm Journal. Don't snap in two. Limber up. St. Jacobs Oil will cure lumbago sure.

An egg in the cup is worth two in the est.—Chicago News.

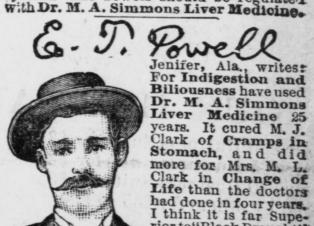
All other blood Diseases are promptly And Permanently Cured By Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Any form of Blood Disorder, you should Take Hood's and Only Hood's.

ALABAMA TO THE FRONT. Mrs J. B. Gilmore Anniston, Ala., writes:



Pregnancy. During the period of pregnancy the men-tal state and physical condition of the mother inevitably determine the important faculties and essential qualities of her offspring. If she is physically well-developed and healthy, pregnancy will bring no burden or suffering; childbirth will be easy and comparatively painless, and her offspring inherit robust health and a happy disposition. But there are very few women who are not sick and diseased in some way, and who suffer from various sympathetic disturbances during pregnancy. The morning sickness, nausea and vomiting and other disturbances can be suppressed by using Dr. Simmons Squaw Vine Wine, which settles the stomach and gives tone to the system. The bowels should be regulated



had done in four years. I think it is far Superior to "Black Draught" or "Zeilin's Regulator." Melancholy. Where there exists nervous disturbance of the sexual organs, there is frequently great pain felt during menstruation; ovarian irritation and a so-called "irritable" or sensitive uterus, giving rise to manifold nervous and hysterical symptoms. The sufferer is agitated about trifles and worried

by the fear that everything will go wrong. The condition is a serious one as it may end in persistent hypochondria, followed by in-Quick relief may be obtained by stime lating the digestive organs with Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine, and Dr. Simmons Squaw Vine Wine will regulate the menstrual function by toning up the tissues

of the uterus.

L. C. MOORE.

### WITH THE LARK.

Night is for sorrow and dawn is for joy, Chasing the troubles that fret and annoy; Darkness for sighing and daylight for du tendre."

Cheery and chaste the strain, heartfelt and strong. All the night through, though I moan in the dark, I wake in the morning to sing with the

Deep in the midnight, the rain whips the Softly and sadly the wood-spirit grieves. But when the first hue of dawn tints the

I shall shake out my wings like the birds and be dry; And though, like the rain drops, I grieved

through the dark, I shall wake in the morning to sing with the On the high hills of Heaven, some morn-

ing to be. Where the rain shall not grieve thro' the leaves of the tree, There my heart shall be glad for the pain

I have known, For my hand shall be clasped in the hand of my own; And though life has been hard and death's

pathway been dark, I shall wake in the morning to sing with

-Paul Dunbar, in Outlook.



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CHAPTER III .- CONTINUED. She liked to sit upon the veranda overlooking the ocean. On her face was reflected the placidity of the waters; in her heart, I knew, was the restlessness of the tides. Indeed, there was a smack | girls. She has abundant material for of the salt sea about the girl, of the sea in all its moods and tenses. Her blood best is so often a failure. Her books, skin; on her lips, with the glimmer of humanity, these must fill her life." teeth white as foam between their curves, was the many-twinkling smile, in her eyes an enchanting shimmer. One could swear that those same eyes would flash fiercely in time of storm and stress, and that the red lips, like breakers, would curl angrily. I hate a tepid temperament.

"Mr. Livingston"-how softly the syllables of my name dropped from her mouth!-"which do you prefer, action or inaction, peace or war?"

"Peace, Miss Nancy, at any price. I push my little go-cart along the lines of least resistance."

"I thought men"—she emphasized the word—"preferred war." "Nowadays they leave that to wom-

"But the love of fighting, of adventure, is natural to man?"

"To uncivilized man, yes."

"Strip a man," she cried, with a touch of scorn, "of the rags we call manners, take from him the deference which he pays to the opinion of society, and what do you find?" "Sometimes, a beast."

"Ah!" She drew in her breath with 1 pretty sigh.

"Sometimes, a god." "Does he teach small boys?" she isked, demurely. "Confess, now, Mr. your pen, I mean; slaying monsters, of steps led to the sands. She stood ike Hercules; and instead you are-" "Talking to Omphale. There is time her glance straying southward. or everything."

"Tell me"-she spoke coaxinglyinguish truth from falsehood."

rot do it?"

emember, wears no clothes—that's why proaching man. the lives at the bottom of a well; but alsehood is tricked out in the latest ashion."

"And you have met truth face to if-"

"I live with my mother." It was prettily said, but it set me to hinking; and thought, like falsehood, as many costumes in her wardrobe. Where did Miss Nancy learn to talk? Her mother, sweet, gentle soul, was no conversationalist; her father, confound him, was a money-grabber. The girl must be still in her teens; but her | last." shrewdness and wit amazed me.

"No man," I observed, "incriminates nimself. The reason of my presence here must remain for the present at the bottom of the well. But beware; I have found out your besetting sin."

She looked at me defiantly.

"I don't believe it." "A morbid love of excitement."

"Wretch! You have laid your finger apon a tender spot. Yes, I am fond of excitement. The seadly dullness of my his goal in sight. I waited, thinking life till-till quite lately has driven me nearly crazy. I have the dramatic instinct strong in me. Heaven knows where I got it, but I can't be rid of it. And my dramatic instinct tells me that there is some mystery here, in this peaceful house, where you would least expect it; and you, Mr. Livingston, are mixed up with this mystery. There, t's out at last."

Poor child, how I pitied her!

"Miss Nancy," I said, earnestly, "the wise old Greeks had a word which we cranslate wrongly bitter-sweet. It should be sweet-bitter, for the bitterness comes last and remains. If you your present life is, you would be thank- child." fully content. This is really fairyland, it will never come home to you till vou have left it."

may drive me from Eden? Very well; I take the hint."

requested a private interview. Her face, had proved an enthusiastic apprentice. fuel to the flames of my anxiety on I remarked, wore a troubled expression, and she twisted her slender fingers, the boy was not with him. a sure sign of nervousness.

you are exploring a new country, Mr. Livingston. The French call it le pays

I was completely taken aback. I am not a man who wears his heart upon his sleeve, and I had taken infinite pains to keep that unruly organ out of sight. "Your silence," she continued, "con-

firms my fears. Let me entreat you to turn back before it is too late." "Turn back!" I ejaculated. "Mrs. Gerard, this is no walking tour. I am

traveling-by express." "It is better to walk," she said, coldly. I could tell by her tone that she was

provoked. "It is better to crawl," I replied; "but when a man is traveling sixty miles an hour it is dangerous to leave the train." "But you must leave the train-at

"And break my neck-my heart, I

"Hearts do not break," she murmured; "at least, not the hearts of

"Mrs. Gerard, you are cruel. Have you anything against me?"

"No, no; but Naney is not, as-as you think, the daughter of Mr. Gerard. Her father"-the last words were almost inaudible-"is Edgar Burlington."

I must have been blind not to have discovered this fact for myself. How much it accounted for, physically and intellectually! From him she inherited those brilliant eyes; from him, the power of speech, the torrens dicendi copia. And what else?

I took the hand of the poor lady beside me, and kissed it.

"I love her," I whispered. "For herself, first, and, secondly, because she is your daughter."

"Naney," said Mrs. Gerard, in frozen tones, "can never marry. I have given her an education that is given to few happiness outside of marriage, which at ebbed and flowed beneath the freshest her music, her absorbing interest in

"Why? Why?" "Her father." The fear stamped upon her face twisted my heartstrings; but there was a quality in it conspicuously absent from the terror of Mark Gerard. This was no coward sentiment. The awful dread was not for self, but for others. "Her father, as you know, is a dangerous madman; the taint of insanity is in poor Nancy's veins."

"I don't care a rap," I answered. ".

"Mr. Livingston, do you force me to tell the truth to Nancy?"

"You could not be so cruel; and, besides, I-I have no reason to suppose that she returns my love. I have taken no advantage of my position. I have-"You must leave the cottage to-mor-

"Leave?" I stammered. The word stuck in my throat.

We were sitting in the parlor. Mrs. Gerard, feeling that further conversation was intolerable, rose from her chair and walked slowly from the room. Through the window I caught a glimpse of her graceful figure as she paced down the garden path. Was Nancy destined to flit from my life in some such abrupt fashion? Not while I, Hugo Livingston, had life and limbs to pursue. I waited a couple of minutes, choking Livingston, you are something of a my emotion, then I followed. I found raud. You ought to be fighting-with her at the end of the walk, where a flight shading her eyes from the setting sun, noted, in the mid-distance, a man walking rapidly, probably Demetrius, for 'your true reason for coming here. he was tall and well proportioned. Don't attempt to deceive me. I can dis- | Strangers frequently passed the house (the sands at low tide were a public "What eyes you must have! How do highway); and I wondered vaguely what possible interest this pedestrian "It's very simple. Truth once seen | challenged. Mrs. Gerard ignored me s never forgotten; the poor dear, you entirely. She stared intently at the ap-

I touched her arm.

"Mrs. Gerard, I pity you profoundly; but if I am willing to take the chances,

"Hush!" she cried, wildly. "In the name of Heaven, who is that?" She pointed dramatically at the figure

striding swiftly along the sands. "Some stranger," I murmured. "Mrs. Gerard, you are overwrought; let me take you back to the house."

"It is he," she said, trembling. "It is Edgar Burlington. He has found me at

### CHAPTER IV. She fled homeward, seeking sanctu-

ary like some hunted creature. My first impulse was to follow and console, but duty and curiosity nailed me to the spot. From the shadow of the cypress fence I could see Burlington, myself. unseen. He strode past, looking neither to the right nor to the left. walking as a man walks when he has hard; then I returned to the house.

Nancy met me as I passed the threshold. Her sweet face was puckered and lined by anxiety. "Mother," she gasped, "is so ill. Please come to her at once. I

am frightened." I entered the parlor. Upon the couch lay Mrs. Gerard. Her eyes were closed; her breath came and went in short gasps; her pulse was rapid and feeble. At my suggestion Nancy left the room to procure some aromatic spirits of ammonia. Before she returned Mrs. Gerard opened her eyes.

"Mark," she murmured, faintly-"where is he? This faintness will pass: could realize how sweet and fragrant but my child-Mr. Livingston, find my

I humored her instantly, fearing hysif you only knew it, but the beauty of teria. The sight of the lad, I reflected, would still her poor fluttering heart more quickly than all the drugs in He lay senseless upon his back. The "Do you mean," she said, slowly, Christendom. Mark, of course, was with trapezius muscles had borne the brunt "that the gratification of my curiosity Demetrius. I had left the two at the of the shock and saved him a broken back of the house, building a small neck; but in the nature of things he sloop upon plans furnished by me. The | must have suffered very grave internal At the end of the month Mrs. Gerard | Greek was no mean mechanic, and Mark | injuries. But the catastrophe added Demetrius I found busily at work, but | Mark's account. Had he escaped |

"I perceive," she began, softly, "that cited the facts, annoyed me. He leis- A hasty survey of the cavern someurely assumed coat and waistcoat and proceeded to put away his tools.

> "Don't alarm yourself, sir; I can find Mr. Mark. He is around somewhere." "Somewhere! Of course; but where?" "He ran down to the sands to get

some fresh water for his aquarium." "The sands! Good God, man, and we are standing here! Follow me."

I ran at top speed to the water's edge. Yes, he had left his bucket and wandered north, searching, probably, for shells in the masses of seagrass and kelp which a recent storm had flung upon the shore. I noted his footprints in the wet sand, and close beside them the large, deeply-indented tracks of Burlington.

Perdition! What if I arrived too

late? To the south the sands stretched widely flat for miles, a superb highway, fringed with low sand dunes; to the north were the cliffs, jutting promontories of red sandstone, honeycombed with caves. These caves could be entered only at the lowest tides, and were favorite haunts of the boy. In their dim recesses were exquisite medusæ, pink, purple and green, starfish, echinoderms, monstrous abalones and other marvels. One cavern, to which the Portuguese had given the melodramatic title Pirates' cave, had a mighty fascination for Mark. He listened to the yarns of the ancient mariners and believed implicitly, with the glorious faith of youth, that chests of doubloons, dead men's bones and other relics of Spanish buccaneers were awaiting discovery. Upon the Pacific slope, especially in springtime, tidal waves are not infrequent and Mark had received strict orders from his mother never to venture alone into the caves. I make no doubt that he ignored these commands whenever opportunity served.

As I ran, vagabond thoughts whirled like dervishes through my brain. recalled the proverbial patience and cunning of madmen. Burlington, armed with powerful field glasses, must have watched and waited (possibly for a full month) for this very chance. From my knowledge of the man I shuddered to think what foul use he would make

When I reached the end of the sand I paused. A cove was directly in front of me-in fact, a succession of coves, sheltered, each one, by frowning headlands. At high tide these coves were inaccessible from the shore; and already the waters were lapping idly at the base of the cliffs. Seagulls screamed overhead. The wet sand was blood-red with sunset reflections. The sun itself was be-



low the horizon, the day dying fast and the short spring twilight stealing swiftly from landward.

Scrambling across the rocks, scanned anxiously the semicircular cove in front of me. No human being was in sight. Hurrying on, I struck again the sand, and on it the footprints These I followed to the mouth of the Pirates' cave. There-where the pebbles hid the tracks—the spoor was lost

My worst suspicions were realized. I listened intently for the murmur of voices. Then, slipping off my shoes, ] stepped noiselessly forward. My right hand gripped the stock of a pistol which (at the urgent request of Gerard) I carried habitually in my pocket. The cave had two chambers, an inner and an outer, the latter lighted by a small aperture in the roof. I remembered, with a sudden gust of hope, that it was possible to crawl through this aperture and regain the cliffs above. I had performed this feat myself at much personal inconvenience, but Mark made little of it. Here, then, was a loophole of

The silence, accentuated by the drip and trickle of water, was horrible. A more appropriate stage setting for a tragedy could scarcely be conceived. The dank walls, slimy with fungoid growth, harbored no echo. What nymph, indeed, would haunt so fearful a grot? The pools of water courted blood-stained hands. And in the deep for a hecatomb of victims.

I am no coward, but horror smote me in the face.

As I glidled in the shadows to the entrance of the inner chamber I heard a peculiar noise—a fretting of garments against rocks. Pistol in hand, I plunged forward. High up, crawling painfully across jagged rocks, was Burlington; but where was the boy?

"Halt!" I cried, sternly.

The sound of my own voice startled me; and it startled the madman above. He turned suddenly, grasped helplessly he say so?" at the slimy walls, lost his hold and crashed headlong to my feet. He had failen in the most awkward possible place, a rift between two rocks. For the moment every feeling was banished save that of pity; but how to extricate him passed my understanding. through the hole in the roof? Or-I | their godchildren except in story The impassivity of the Greek, as I re- | dared not finish the sentence.

what reassured me, and I remarked, with satisfaction, that the hands of Burlington were unstained save for the patches of fungus, that his clothing bore no evidence of committed crime. that his features even were calm and peaceful. Bending over his prostrate body in the sorest perplexity I heard a welcome footfall, and an instant later

Demetrius stood beside me. "Mark?" I stammered. "Have you seen Mark?"

"He is with his mother," he replied, coolly. Then he too bent down and gazed steadily into the face of his en-

"He is not dead, Mr. Livingston." The fellow asked no questions. He accepted the situation with extraordinary stoicism.

"He is very badly injured," I answered, curtly-"I fear fatally." "What are you going to do?" he whispered.

"Do? Why, get him out of this-at

He laid a heavy finger upon my fore-"Mr. Livingston" - his hot breath stirred the hair upon my temples-"Mr.

Livingston, the tide is coming in." The diabolical suggestiveness of the words palsied my tongue.

"The tide is coming in," he repeated, slowly, a horrid smile upon his clean-

It would be wise, I reflected, to ignore his meaning. "Yes," I returned, "we have not a

minute to lose. Take his feet, Demetrius. Luckily, we are strong men." But Demetrius folded his massive

arms and stood erect. "Take hold, man."

Then, with a startling change of facial expression, a very petard of words exploded, a thunderclap from a sullen cloud. This was his enemy, his master's enemy, whom destiny had delivered into our hands. He had been struck down with foul murder in his beart. He deserved to die. He should have died at the hangman's hands a score of years ago. If we succored him

of the innocent would be upon our All this and much more, with amazing fluency and vehemence. When he had finished speaking, the plash of water mingled faintly with the echo of his concluding words. A wave, the herald of the incoming tide, had broken with sullen murmur upon the rocks out-

now, and ill came of it, the blood

"I have heard what you say. For the sake of your long years of faithful service I shall try to forget what has passed. Take hold."

"No," said he, for the second time. [TO BE CONTINUED.]

PHILOSOPHER CORRECTED. Benjamin Franklin's Experienc with a Wig Maker.

When Benjamin Franklin went to Paris as the representative of the revolted American colonies, he had to be presented to the king, and it was a matter of some solicitude with him how he should array himself for that ceremony. He was anxious not to be considered lacking in respect for the French court, where much formality regarding dress

was observed; but he knew it would be an affectation for so simple a republican as he was to imitate the court dress. He decided, therefore, and wise ly, to appear in a plain suit of black velvet, with white silk stockings and black shoes. Nevertheless, he deemed it best to make one concession to the French

fashion of the time by wearing a wigsomething which he had not been ac customed to do. He ordered of a wig maker the largest one the man had and in season for the presentation the man himself brought the wig and se about trying it on.

But do all he could, the man could no squeeze the wig on the philosopher's head. He tried and tried, and also essayed to convince Franklin, against the evidence of his senses, that the wig was a fit. Finally Franklin said:

"I tell you, man, your wig is not large Upon this the Frenchman threw the

wig down in a rage. "Monsieur," he said, "that is impossible. It is not the wig which is too small. It is the head which is too

Accepting the rebuke as deserved, Franklin went to the presentation without any wig, and found there that the simplicity of his dress and the honesty and candor of his manners won him more esteem at the court than any concession to fashion could possibly have done .- Youth's Companion.

Great Waste of Words.

There was once a mathematical tutor crannies and fissures were hiding places | in one of the English universities who was in the habit of boasting that he neither knew nor cared to know any. thing about poets or poetry and considered it all "a lot of unpractical rot." A certain brother tutor, anxious to con vert him, gave him the famous "Charge of the Light Brigade" to read. The mathematician took it up and began to read aloud, thus: "Half a league half a league, half a league-" Then he banged the book down, exclaiming, impatiently: "Well, if the fool meant : league and a half, why on earth didn't

> The 99 Instinct. "Why does a woman always buy hex

postage stamps three at a time?" "So as to get pennies in change, of "What does she want to get pennies

"Well, that makes it seem more like a bargain."-Chicago Journal. People looking in windows are not

always looking at the goods. They are looking to see themselves .- Washington (Ia.) Democrat. -Godmothers never do anything for

books.-Atchison Globe.

HUMOROUS.

-"Hepperton says he won't marry anyone but a widow." "I hope he won't marry mine."-Indianapolis Journal.

-Hewitt-"Why didn't you laugh at that joke when I told it?" Jewett-"I don't believe in laughing at an old friend."-Truth.

-Spogs-"Was it not disgraceful, the way in which Smiggs snored in church to-day?" Stuggs-"I should think it was. Why, he woke us all up."-Tit-Bits.

-Before the Scrap.-Hooley-"Did yez hear about Casey quittin' wor-rk at noon yisterday?" Dooley-"Oi did not. Phwot med 'im?" Hooley-"Shure, it wor th' twilve o'clock whistle."-Judge. -"I am afraid that actors sometimes

deceive us about the salaries they get," remarked the mild-mannered citizen. 'No," replied the keen observer; "they may think they do; but they don't."-Washington Star. -Fine Progress .- "Well, my son, how

are you getting along at college?" asked the anxious father. "They call me a phenom, governor. I started in as a substitute and now I'm full back."-Detroit Free Press. -Wasn't Bliss .- "What I know about

riding a wheel," said the scorcher, "would fill a book." "Yes," said the policeman who had gathered him in, "and what you don't know about it would soon fill the morgue."-Chicago -Why, Indeed ?- Moneyworth-

'Why will the newspapers publish columns of the revolting details of murders? Here I've wasted two good hours reading through this mass of trash about the last one."-Philadelphia North American.

-Landlady-"The price of this room is 30 marks. Will that suit you?" Student-"Perfectly." Landlady-"Then you can't have it. A man who meekly accepts such an exorbitant price, obviously does not intend to pay his bill."-Fliegende Blaetter.

-"I understand you have been advo- the planter, saving enormous commiscating a tax on bachelors," said Singleton. "I have," replied Benedict. "Upon what grounds do you justify it?" "Upon the general theory that a man should be made to pay for the enjoyment of a luxury." This he considered very clever until his wife heard of it, when it seemed to lose much of its brilliancy. -Chicago Evening Post.

A STROLL UNDER THE THANIES. Blackwall Tunnel Becomes the Pa rade of London's East End.

For some weeks past the Blackwall tunnel has been to the toilers of the East end what Hyde Park is to the West end. It is the promenade a la mode to as many thousands as can reach it. To Cincinnati-4:45 a. m.; 7:55 a. m.; Little as its promoters dreamed-little as his royal highness the prince of Wales imagined when in July last the walk was declared open-Blackwall tunnel has grown to be the great rendezvous of the people. It is their playground, their concert hall, their shelter from cold and wind and rain, the trysting place of lovers-and destined to infold more than one romance, more than one tragedy.

It has already had one death, for a few weeks ago a van driver was thrown from his seat and killed. As the corpse of the van driver was being carried out a bystander remarked to one of the policemen who stand guard at the Poplar end of this great feat of engineering: "A dead man, eh? Why, I've just counted 20 pairs of lovers going in!"

Blackwall tunnel! What a splendid title for a melodrama! All day and night the tunnel is lit up by electric lamps—an incomparable vista of light a mile and a half long. No wonder, then, that when several thousand people are in the tunnel singing, shouting, laughing, playing on cencertina, banjo or Jew's harp, the scene should be one unparalleled in the whole length

and breadth of London. It will be a problem to Mr. Macdonald, the chief engineer of the great tunnel, how this huge body of pleasure seekers is to be managed, when later on the wintry blasts blow and their tendency to loiter and reluctance to

leave will increase. The tunnel was not quite finished when the prince of Wales opened it. It was closed to the public for some weeks. But since its actual and permanent opening it has been found, in

a dual sense, to fill a long-felt want. There is light and love and laughter -no care, no trouble, no cold, so every Sunday anyone who is anyone in the near east takes his wife or sweetheart for a stroll beneath the Thames.-London Mail.

Sunlight Destroys Bacteria. In view of the destructive effect of sunlight, especially of the blue to the ultra-violet rays, upon bacteria in water, Prof. H. Marshall Ward would explain the comparative freedom of river waters under the blazing hot summer sun from bacteria, as against the more abundant infection of the same waters in winter. Pasteur and Miguel found that the germs floating in the air are, for the most part, dead-killed, the author holds, by the sun. Yeasts which normally vegetate on the exterior of ripening grapes are destroyed, according to Martinaud, if the heat be very intense; and Guinti has observed that the ingress of sunlight hinders acetic fermentation. When the typhoid bacillus falls into torpid, dirty water in summer, it finds a congenial propagating place. The dirt furnishes it food, absorbs heat to increase the warmth, and keeps off the hostile blue and violet rays.

-Popular Science Monthly. Lark Knot in a Sycamore.

When a Manchester (England) timber merchant was sawing a sycamore into engths he came across a lark knot in the wood an inch and a half in diameter. When this was cut through it displayed the clearly marked outline of a bird, which the merchant deemed curious enough to have photographed .- Strand Magazine.

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### Against The Pension Incubus.

"THERE is a growing disposition shown by the great newspapers of the country," says the Cincinnati Times-Star, "to purge the pension list and make it a roll of honor. Among the leading papers noticed in one day to contain an argument in favor of an amended law to stop the abuse of the sys- McKoy-Creeden fight, presented McKoy tem were the New York Sun, Herald, with a diamond ring. World, Journal, Times, Post and Tribune, North American, Bulletin, Record and Press, Boston Herald and Globe, Pittsburg Post and Press, Buffalo Courier-Record and Commercial, Syracuse Post, Rochester Herald, Troy accidents have been reported the neces-Times, Brooklyn Eagle. Springfield sity for limiting by law the size and (Mass.) Republican, Albany Journal, power of fire crackers becomes evident. Washington Star, Newark Advertiser, The Kentucky Legislature could limit Portland Oregonian, Milwaukee Even- the size of the fire crackers sold in the ing Wisconsin, Chicago Herald, Record, State, and save countless hands and Inter Ocean, Post and News, Detroit fingers from being blown off The Journal and Cincinati Times-Star. All dynamite crackers are dangerous and of these are published or circulated should be prohibited in Kentucky. north of the Mason and Dixon line and but nine are politically opposed to the THE power of the press is evidenced Republican party."

Col. South Trimble, of Franklin, ing abated the town cow unisance. has withdrawn from the race for "The Prowler" deserves a wreath of Speaker of the lower branch of the Ken- glory. tucky General Assembly This leaves still in the field J. C W. Beckham, of Nelson, J. D. Mocquot, of McCracken.

SUFFERING from delirium tremens, Albert Brann yelled "I'm 1897, and must make way for 1898," and attempted Sunday to jump into Chicago river. Chicago liquor must be awful.

S. B. Holmes, sound money Demoerat, will be retained as postmaster at | An Interesting Jumble Of News And Frankfort.

## The Kentucky Press.

Editor W. F. Schooler, of the Morehead Advance, got a fat possum in his

The Mt. Sterling Sentiuel-Democrat, will soon be thirty years old. It improves with age.

The Carlisle Mercury and The Maysville Ledger want the Legislature to establish a Pure Food Commission.

The Richmond Pantagraph's Christmas number was just like a Christmas stocking-chock full of good things.

The Christmas number of the Richmond Register was printed in two colors-red and black, which are but regular colors after all. The paper is always read.

One of the brightest features in the entire press of Kentucky is the very clever work done by Harry Giovannoli, "The Penciler" of the Danville Advocate. His stories and sketches are delightfully interesting and betoken a genius which will add new lustre to an nati, have bought \$60,000 worth of already enviable reputation.

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GOSSIPY PARAGRAPHS.

Cheatrical And Otherwise - Remarks In

A lovely maid, a light turn'd low, I did not try to resist her, She stopped beneath the mistletoe-Zounds! 'Twas Ruth I kissed-my

The Vanderbilt Glee, Mandolin and Banjo Clubs come to the opera house tomorrow night for one concert, and their performance will no doubt be largely patronized by Paris society The Clubs have given a numb r i successful concerts "on the road" thus far, and they claim to be better equipped in point of numbers and general merit than ever this year. They are out only during the holiday season, and will return to Nashville with the coming of the new year.

The following companies have given up the ghost: Edward Harrigan, Kate Claxton, Katie Rooney, Corrinne, Robert E. Graham, "Alabama," "The City of New York" and "Kismet".

The Duchess of Marlborough buys nearly all of her dresses in New York She buys perfume in bulk, and it is for warded to the Manor of Woodstock with gallon jars.

Mr. Clay, Clement has been booked to appear at the Paris Grand Opera House the latter part of January, in his new play "A Southern Gentleman." \* \* \*

Miss Harriet Glascock gave a successful and artistic Greek entertainment last week in Nicholasville.

The "Wedding Day" Company has in the forrteen weeks it has been on the road taken in \$140,000.

Nat Goodwin, who won \$4,000 on the

Chauncey Olcott will probably act in England next season.

by the fact that the Winchester Democrat's "cow poet" has succeeded in hav-

THE editors of the Kentucky press sympathize with editor D. W. Clark, of of Murry, Ind., Recommends Wright's the Georgetown Sentinel in the loss of his beloved wife.

A CABLEGRAM from St. Petersburg says that the Russians have siezed Kin Chau, north of Port Arthur.

## SCINTILLATIONS.

Comment. Miss Lillian Cromwell, of Lexington,

has become a nun. Burglars robbed the post office at Lon-

don, Ky., in \$1,500 in stamps. Pugilist J. J. Corbett is in Cincinnati

this week with his show company. The W. C. T. U. sent fifty cakes to the prisoners at the Frankfort peniten-

tiary, Friday. Raiders have threatened to destroy the property of members of the Garrard county court if pikes are not freed.

Miss Lavinia Oldham, who has been in Japan doing missionary work, returned last week to her home in Mt. Ster-

A bursted waterpipe in the court house at Shelbyville flooded the circuit clerk's office and ruined many valuable

Three little girls near Glasgow played hog killing," and one was shot through both of her legs. "Hog killing" is not likely to become a popular amusement.

Rudolph Kleibolt & Co., of Cincin-Clark county turnpike bonds. The bonds bear 4 per cent. interest and are payable in twenty years.

Adam Juett, a prominent farmer of the Breckinridge neighborhood, Harrison county, shot and killed Ben Colvine, a tenant, Saturday morning Juett give himself up. He claims self

known mountain pedagogue, says the ened-many say "stronger after Louisville Post, had for a pupil Miss Lennie Abshire, who at the age of 72 sures safety to life of both mothdid not know a letter, but soon learned to read.

Republicans of Clark county held a meeting at Winchester, protested against the appointment of R. R. Perry as Postmaster, indorsed John W. Langley and demanded the resignation of K. J. Hampton as district chairman.

Insure in the Northwestern today to-morrow may be too late.

## Well Children

that are not very robust need a Miss Pearl Kenney is at home from Millersburg Female College to spend the that are not very robust need a food—something to be used for two or three months in the fall—that they may not suffer from cold.

## SCOTT'S **EMULSION**

of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda supplies exactly what they want. They will thrive, grow strong and be well all winter on this splendid food to-date toes and shapes, at low pricestonic. Nearly all of them become suitable, sensible gifts for ladies, misses very fond of it. For adults who or children.

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All druggists; 50c. and \$2.00.

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### W. S. Anderson,

Of Peck, P. O., Pike Co., O, Recommends Wright's Celery Capsules. To the Wright Medical Co.,

Columbus, Ohio.
Gents:—I have purchased a box of Wright's gist, Waverly, O., and used them for Stomach frouble and Constipation. I was unable to do anything for nearly two years I used three boxes of your Celery Capsules and they have cured me. For the benefit of others so afflicted I wish to send this letter.

Very ruly yours,
W. S. ANDERSOM. Sold by all druggists at 50c. and \$1 Co., Columbus, O., for trial size, free.

Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Changes Time.

Commencing Sunday, December 12th, the Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. will shorten the time of its F. F. V. Limited train which will leave Mt. - erling at 4:30 p m.; Winchester at 4:45 p. m: Lexington 5:20; Frankfort 6:13 p. m., and helbyville 7:00 p. m., reaching Louisville at 8:00 o'clock, p. m., making direct connection in Unio Depot in Louisville with the Illi-no's Central Limited Vestibuled train leaving Louisville at 8:10 p. m., carrying Free Chair Car and elegant sleepers, reaching Now that the full quota of Christmas | Memphis at 7:00 a m., next morning and New Orleans 7:00 p. m, next evening and making direct connection in M mphis or all Texas points. Also connects in Union Depot in Louisville with the Air Line, B. O & S a d Henderson Route trains for St Louis and the West and with Big Four Route for Chicago and points North. This is the best and quickest train service ever given the Blue Grass section for the West and South, and is seventy miles shorter to -t. Louis than via Cincinnati For full information call on C. & O. Agents, or write to the undersigned. No trouble to answer questions G V. BARNEY, D P. A.

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Lexington, Ky.

MRS. LAURA WEISHAUF.

Celery Capsules.

Murry, Ind., Sept 17, 1896. THE WRIGHT MEDICAL CO., Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIRS :- Last spring I purchased a box of Wright's Celery Capsules from L. C. Davenport, druggist, Bluffton, Ind., and used them for stomach trouble with which I had been afflicted for more than 15 years. Since taking your Capsules I have lost all trace of pain and my stomach is entirely well. I can eat anything and can truthfully say that I have not felt better in years.

Yours Respectfully,

MRS. LAURA WEISHAUFT. Sold by W. T. Brooks at 50c. and \$1.00 per box. Send address on postal to the Wright Med. Co., Columbus' Ohio, for trial size, free.

of the Mother shapes the course of unborn generations—goes sounding through all the ky., ages and enters the confines of TUESDAY, TEC. 14TH, 1897, Eternity. With what care, there- returning every second Tuesday in each fore, should the Expectant Mother be guarded, and how great the effort be to ward off danger and make her life joyous and happy.



Nervous-Headache and Nausea, and so fully pre-

pares the system that Childbirth is made easy Uncle Rector Williamson, the well- and the time of recovery shortthan before confinement." It iner and child. All who have used "Mother's Friend" say they will never be without it again. No other remedy robs confinement of its pain "A customer whose wife used 'Mother's Friend,' says that if she had to go through the ordeal again, and there were but four bottles to be obtained, and the cost was \$160.00 per bottle, he would have them." GEO. LAYTON, Dayton, Ohio

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HUTCHISON

Fresh Paragraphs About The People In This Vicinity.

Ed. John Alexander preached at Antioch, Sunday morning. Geo. Clayton sold an extra good Poland-China gilt to John Dean, of Lex-

holidays.

Mrs. Carrie Pryor is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Lizer, at Beard's Station.

Thieves took turkeys from Geo. Jacoby, James Harp and Henry Harp,

On Dec. 8th, at Trinity Church, of this county, was married to Miss had. Elvina Anderson.

WE are offering splendid shoes, in up-

DAVIS, THOMPSON & ISGRIG.

Prof. Osborne's Dancing Class.

out them through the by Prof. Herod Osborne is progressing winter in first-class con- rapidly. The lessons are given on Mondition. Ask your doctor day, Wednesday and Friday evenings. New pupils will be taken at any time, Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. See that the or private instruction will be given. Call on the professor for particulars. The regular lessons are given at Odd Fellows Hall. Many of Bourbon's prettiest and most graceful dancers were former pupils of Prof. Osborne.

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## A Shattered Nervous System. FINALLY HEART TROUBLE.



ager of Sheppard Co's. great store at Braceville, Ill., writes: "I had never been sick a day in my life until in 1890. I got so bad with nervous prostration that I had to give up and commence to doctor. I tried our local physicians and one in Joliet, but none gave me any relief and I thought I was going to die. I became despondent and suffered untold agony. I could not eat, sleep nor rest, and it seemed as if I could not exist. At the end of six months I was reduced to but a shadow of myself, and at last my heart became affected and I was truly miserable. I took six or eight bottles of Dr. Miles' Nervine. It gave me relief from the start, and at last a cure, the great-

est blessing of my life." Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on diseases of the heart and nerves free. Address,

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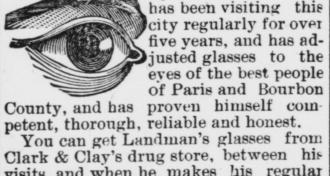
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Is daily displaying an extra choice line of Special Holiday groceries, etc. Below is mentioned some of the standard and select stock. If you want good goods, you will find just that sort at my store. I will Inneau, Alaska, John Morrow, formerly be pleased to fill your order and assure you the very best goods to be

EVAPORATED FRUITS:

Apricots, Pears.

Peaches, Prunes, Champgnion's French Peas. Shrimp, Salmon, Sardines.

Pearl Hominy, Rice, Oat Meal, Rolled Oats.

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THE dancing class recently organized Edam Cheese, N. Y. Cream Cheese. Pineapple Cheese. Imported Macaroni, Domestic Macaroni

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Finest Chocolate Candies. Mixed and Stick Candies.

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Buy something useful. My prices on my whole line will and cannot be beaten.

How are these for presents?

Pictures, Rugs, Lamps,

Comforts, Fancy Rockers, Sideboards,

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Leather Couches, Table Covers, Hat Racks, Wood Mantels, Office Desks, Revolving Chairs, \$4.95 Couches.

Come in at once and make your selection. Goods delivered at any time.

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LOGAN HOWARD has accepted a position at Ed. F. Hutchcraft's grocery.

Make all Checks, Money Orders, Etc.

JUDGE NORVELL, of Carlisle, is critically ill from a stroke of apoplexy suffered yesterday.

ELD, Z. T. SWEENEY has been called to the Seventh Street Christian church at Richmond, Va.

visit.

THE pupils of the Baptist and Episcopal Sunday Schools were treated to baskets of candy and fruit Sunday morning.

SATURDAY Jonas Wied shipped eleven cars of export cattle over the L. & N from this city to New York. Moses Kaha shipped nine cars of export cattle to the same point.

stealing clothes near Lexington was ar- Craddock, the veteran editor of the rested Saturday in this city by Officer Kentuckian-Citizen, played a leading Mernaugh. Osborne has been taken to part. The story was lately related by a Lexington for trial

W. B. HUTCHINSON, a worthy ex-Parisian who now resides in Lexington, twenty-seven presents Saturday which attest his popularity in his new home.

"AMERICA," a spectacular entertainment representing the progress of our country from the discovery to the present time, will be given at the operahouse, on the evenings of Dec 29 and 30.

THERE has been such an improvement in business at the Hotel Fordham that Landlord James Connors has leased all the rooms on the second and third floors of the Citizens Bank buildings to accommodate his guests.

Two negro men whose correct names could not be learned were thrown from a buggy Saturday night on Main street, and both suffered broken legs. A dynamite fire cracker exploding under their horse caused the accident.

## New Drug Firm.

Matthew Kenney, has purchased Sidney as they mature. Clay's interest in Clark & Clay's drug University, at Richmond.

## Porkers and Poultry Stolen.

THIEVES stole four fat hogs from the farm of Hon. C. M. Clay, Jr., near this city, last week. Mr. Clay offers a reward for evidence to convict the thieves. In the Hutchison precinct thieves stole turkeys from James and Henry Harp and Geor Jacoby.

## An Alaska Marriage.

Morrow, a Bourbon boy Alaska married for several years, 2was at Trinity Church in Juneau, on December 8th, to Miss Elvina Anderson, the Treadwell stamp mills. The marriage was attended by the Bourbon boys now in Alaska.

## Export Cattle Sold.

From G. C. Thompson, at \$4 25 per cwt. by a Lexington lady and were returned Jack Hulse also sold fifty-six 1,300-lb. cattle to Weil at \$4.10.

James Thompson has sold to Moses Kahn thirty-two 1,300-pound export cattle at \$4.15 per cwt. James McLeod has sold ten 1,700-lb. cattle to Kahn. Price not learned.

## Judge Webb Distributes Presents.

JUDGE WEBB distributed the followholiday session of police court: Robert Hash was assessed \$5 for in-

bibing too much eggnog.

Bob was Washington remembered Sterling pike near Mt. Sterling. with a \$7.50 fine for a breach of the

Geo. Williams was taxed \$20 for permitting free and unlimited Christmas enthusiasm to be vented in his saloon. Lawrence Connelly, of the county, paid \$5 for a little Christmas spree.

The Paris Telephone Company will issue their new telephone card on January 5th. All those wanting their names to appear on the list will please notify J. R. Baker, at the telephone exchange.

### Mormons And Polygamy.

THE presence in Bourbon county of two Mormon elders seeking recruits to their faith-and polygamy-make the following paragraphs of interest to many persons.

Miss Parsons, a missionary from Provo, Utah, who is working under the auspices of the Woman's Baptist Home Missionary society, spoke from Dr. B. A. Green's pulpit at the First Baptist church of Evanston, Ill., the other ball to-night.

"Many people suppose," said Miss Parsons, "that polygamy was blotted out when the government took action against the Mormons, but plural marriage is as much a realty to day among the apostles of the church as it was in the days of Joseph Smith. It may have died out while the eyes of the nation were upon Utah, but it is now there and I have seen it.

"Neither has the church grown smaller in its number of disciples. In Chicago there is a Mormon mission HENRY LILLESTON is filling Carley which is headquarters for the central Wilmoth's place at the postoffice this states. They have thousands of misweek, while Carley is in Cynthiana on a sionaries throughout the states and through these missionaries converts are constantly added to the church, many of whom do not even surmise that polygamy is as important a doctrine to-day as it has ever been."

> Daily rehearsals will make "America" the most beautiful entertainment ever given in Paris.

A Christmas Story on Col. Craddock.

THE stories of the merry Christmas-JOHN OSBORNE, who is wanted for tide recall a yarn in which Col. J. G. trustworthy citizen to THE NEWS. While working on a Christmas eve about eight years ago six employes of Mt. Sterling. the K-C., sent out and bought three pairs of new socks. Each man pinned his name on a sock and hung it on Col. Craddock's bed after that old soldier had retired and was dreaming of ex-Bourbons and the glories of the Mexican war. The K .- C. employes thought of course Col. Cradcock would take the hint and put a gift in each sock-but he didn't. It didn't "occur" to him that way. When the Colonel awakened and saw the socks he concluded that the boys had made him a present of three pairs of socks, and after expressing his thanks, put the socklets away, and ington, were guests of Mr. S. S. Clay wished his employes a merry Christmas.

### The City of Paris Issues Bonds.

THE Paris City Council has just closed a deal with Jones & Co., bankers and brokers of Cincinnati, Philadelphia and Chicago, whereby the city bas sold to said firm about \$66,000 of 41 per cent. bonds at \$104 06.

The bond issue is made in order to save the city a neat two per cent. inter-MR. WALTER KENNEY, son of Mr. est, which saving will pay off the bonds

The bonds will be issued in denominastore and the new firm will be Clarke & tions of \$500, and beginning in 1900, Kenney. Mr. Kenney is a very worthy will mature at the rate of \$2,000 per for Louisville to visit ner father, Prof. young man and is a graduate of Central year. This will make the last of the C. L. Martin, and sister, Mrs. Frank der for sale. For particulars, apply to bonds mature about 1932.

> The present issue of bonds is made in order to refund \$44,000 due on the Kentucky Midland railroad subscription, and \$22,000 on the city's floating debt. The price received is a good one and reflects great credit on the good management of the city's finances by Mayor Perry and his able Councilmen.

## A Valuable Diamond Recovered.

MRS. BRUTUS CLAY, of near Pari has just recovered a valuable diamond which was stolen or lost four years ago. The diamond was one of a pair of earrings presented to her by her aunt, Mrs. Chenault, and could not be replaced by being matched on account of its peculiar daughter of the superintendant of one of color. The stone was recovered a few days ago by a detective who found it in a Detroit pawn shop. It had been converted into a stud.

Miss Margaret Butler has recovered four rings which she left on a wash basin in the ladies reception room of the Jonas Weil has bought 150 export Grand Central Station in Cincinnati cattle, average weight 1,350 pounds, several weeks ago. They were found several weeks later to Miss Butler.

## Tollgate Deviltries.

NEAR Flemingsburg Friday night tollgate raiders attacked a gate and and fired on five negro guards, putting them to flight after about sixty shots. One of the negroes was slightly wounded. After the guards fled the raiders burned the toll-house. No toll is now being collected and the Governor will ing Christmas presents yesterday in his probably be asked to order troops to 1,150 pound steers to Laughlin Bros., of guard the gate.

this city. With dynamite raiders blew two immense holes in the Maysville & Mt.

## Christmas Accidents.

ED. HILL had one of his eyes severely burned Saturday night by being shot with a roman candie. Frank Bowden had one of his hands painfully burned by a sky-rocket.

Between thirty and forty persons were injured by the explosion of a keg of powder during a Christmas celebration at Asheville, N. C.

Fire-crackers ignited a keg of powder near Mt. Vernon, and the explosion tore off the top and side of a building. One child was fatally hurt and two were Apply at my home on Walker's avenue. seriously injured.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

COMERS AND GOERS OBSERVED BY THE NEWS MAN.

Notes Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And

-Ollie Steele returned yesterday to

-The Maysville Assembly will give a

-Hon. C. M. Thomas was in Louis- drug-store for "America" ville Sunday.

-Mr. J. W. Robinson, of St. Louis, is in the city on a visit.

-Miss Mary Wilson is visiting relatives in Montgomery. -Mr, and Mrs. Chas. Barnett spent

Saturday in Lexington. -Mr. G. W. Welsh, of Danville, was in the city, yesterday.

-Dr. Geo. Spencer spent Christmas day with relatives in Carlisle.

-Miss Ophelia Chiles, of Lexington, is visiting relatives in the city. -Miss Edith Collier, of Cynthiana, is

the guest of Miss Sara Grinnan. -Mrs. Sallie Bashford has returned from a several months' stay in St. Louis.

-The Sterling Dancing Club gave a Christmas ball last night in Mt. Ster- round than a half dollar, and her feet

-Dr. Lynn Moore left Friday for Detroit to eat Christmas dinner with his parents.

-Mrs. Newton Mitchell and son left yesterday for a visit to relatives in

Woodford.

in Maysville. are guests of Miss Pattie Johnson, in Georgetown, Mrs. Keith and P. H. and

-Mr. W. B. Hutchinson, of Lexing ton, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in the city.

-Hon. E. M. Dickson and wife and lovely daughter, Miss Lissette Dickson, are in Richmond on a visit.

-Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Erringer

returned to Covington after a short visit with relatives in the city. -Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hinton and children were guests of relatives near

Lexington Saturday and Sunday. -Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay, of Lex-

and family Saturday and Sunday.

Christmas day with the former's relatives at Washington, Mason county. -Editor D. W. Clarg, of the Georgetown Sentinel, was a caller at THE NEWS

office Saturday during a visit in Paris. -Editor J. B. Stears. of the Jessamine Journal was a visitor in Paris yes-

terday and a caller at THE NEWS office. -Mrs. A. Barnett and Mrs. A. J Winters and son Alvin Barnet Winters, left yesterday for a visit in Eminence. -Mrs. Clark Barnett left yesterday

Snyder. -Ex-Senator and Mrs. John D. Harris, of Richmond, and State Auditor and

Mrs. Samuel H. Stone and family, of Frankfort, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Clay, Jr., Saturday and Sunday, at "Auvergue." -Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Frazier, of this city, Were present Saturday at the

annual Christmas reunion of the Saxton Dec. 27, 1897 family in Lexington. Twenty-six persons sat down to the dinner table. Mrs. Frazier's mother, Mrs. Hornsey, was formerly Miss Saxton.

-The Jolly Bachelors will give an elegant german this evenitng at Odd Fellows Hall. The favors will be very unique and pretty. Saxton's orchestra will furnish the music for the event. Several visitors will come over from Lexington and Mt. Sterling for the ger-

RESERVED seats are on sale at Brooks' drug-store for "America."

New crop currents, raisins, citron peaches, prunes, apricots, hominy, oat meal, rolled oats.

NEWTON MITCHELL.

STOCK AND TURF NEWS.

Sales and Transfers Of Stock, Crop, Etc. Turf Notes. B. F. Bedford has bought forty 925. pound cattle in Montgomery at \$3.90

G. Million, of Harrison, has sold six

Dan Morris will not campaign a stable of horses this year. He will assist Bayless & Turney in selling, and preparing horses for the market.

At Cincinnati last week J. W. Thomas, Jr., sold 9 hhds. New at \$20, 13, 16, 211, 153, 10, 1143, 141 and 123. W. Sharp sold 7 hhds. New at \$16, 12, 16, 13, 11, 121 and 103, sold 3 hhds Old at \$121, 131 and 10.

RESERVED seats are on sale at Brooks' drug-store for "America."

FOR SALE.-I have for sale privately a lot of carpenter and wagon-maker tools. MRS. LAURA G. TAYLOR.

### NUPTIAL KNOTS.

Engagements, Announcements And Sol emnizations Of The Marriage Vows.

Reuben Lane, of Barnsborough, Pa., crippled and thirty-three, hobbled 597 miles in thirty-six days to Topeka, Kansas, to wed Mrs. Eliza Ann Parker, a sixty-year-old widow, who gave him the marble-heart. He will sue for breach of promise. They became engaged through a matrimonial agency.

RESERVED seats are on sale at Brooks

BIRTHS.

The Advent Of Our Future Men And

Mahala Mullins, of Fazewell, Tenn., who weighs 500 pounds, gave birth to quadruplets-all boys.

George Thomas, aged about seventyfive years, a brother of 'Squire J. W. night near North Middletown. The deceased leaves a wife and several children.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Musher, of Quincy, Ill., have a daughter five days old who is dressed in doll clothes. She weighs less than a pound without her clothing. Her face is not much larger are a quarter of an inch in length. She is healthy and eats well:

### OBITUARY.

Respectfully Dedicated To The Memory

Mrs. Ellen Shinners, aged about -Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Power and eighty, died Friday night at her home daughter, Allene, are visiting relatives on the corner of Tenth and Pleasant streets. She was the mother of Mrs. -Misses Edith and Kate Alexander Keogh, of this city, Mrs. Taylor of Church Sunday afternoon by Rev. Father Burke. Burial at Catholic cem tery.

Mrs Fannie Wilson, wife of the late Dr. J. P Wilson, died Friday evening at her home on Cane Ridge, aged sixty years. The deceased who was a most estimable woman and a devoted mother. was a sister of Senator-elect James M. Thomas, of this city. The deceased leaves ten children-Mrs. David Offutt and J. Simms Wilson, of this city, Misses Alline and Carrie Wilson, of this county, H. C. Wilson, of Frankfort, D. T Wilson, of Midway, and Mrs. W. N. Jurey, of Pewee Valley. Funeral services were -Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Goggin spent held at her late residence at half-past ten o'clock Sunday morning, by Eld Reynolds. Burial at the Paris cemetry. The pall-bearers were: J. R. Rogers, Dress linings, we will save you 25c. H. M. Carpenter, W. M. Rogers, J. L. Horton, S. G. Talbott, L. R. Rogers.

> DAVIS, THOMPSON & ISGRIG ale offering surprising bargains in men's and boy's stylish shoes. The prices are

## Land For Rent.

I have 60 acres of land for rent till March 1st, with 600 shocks of fod-CATESBY WOODFORD. PARIS KY.

### \$50 Reward.

Fifty dollars reward will be given for evidence to convict thieves that stole four hogs from me this last week.

C. M. CLAY, JR

Two good telephones, good for distance of 500 miles. Will sell cheap, Can be used in the country. Apply to THE NEWS office for particulars.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Bourbon Bank of Paris, Ky., will be held in the office of their bank, on Monday, January 3, 1898, for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

E F. CLAY, President. B. WOODFORD, Cashier.

## Notice to Stockholders

A Meeting of the Stockholders of the Citizens Bank of Paris, will be held at the office of said bank on Monday, January 3, 1898, for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

J. M. HUGHES, Pres't. WM. MYALL, Cashier.

## Stockholders' Meeting

The Stockholders of the Gas Co., of Paris, Ky., will meet, on Saturday, Jan. 1st, 1898, at the office of the Secretary, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year. By order of the Board.

A. SHIRE,

## Stockholders Meeting

The Stockholders of the Agricultural Bank, of Paris, Ky., are notified to meet at the Bank on Monday, January 3, 1898, for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

HENRY SPEARS, Pres't. J. J. McCLINTOCK, Cashier.

Appreciating the demand for something sensible and substantial to supply the place of a oft-time useless Christmas present, we have arranged a special sale at special low prices to continue through the holidays. At this sale we are now offering Ladies, Misses and Children's, and Men and Boys' Shoes-in the best and most popular makes, and in the latest toes and shapes—at low down prices. You should take advantage of this opportunity. What would be more useful or acceptable as a gift than a stylish pair of shoes selected from our up-todate stock?

Davis, Thomson & Isgrig.

## Thomas, of this city, and Henry O. Thomas, of Winchester, died Sunday

Men's furnishings, etc.

Rich table linens. Ch ice Stock of kid gloves. The largest and most complete stock of handkerchie's ever brought to the city.

All the novelties in china, etc. Ladies' and gents' umbrellas. Fancy hosiery.

Come in and see our elegant stock. G. TUCKER.

529 MAIN ST., PARIS, KY.

## Mike Shinners of Chicago. Funeral services were held at the Catholic WE ARE ALWAYS AT IT

Adding new lines, cutting old prices, with a store full of new Fall Goods to show you.

Large line of new Dress goods, strictly wool, 25c a yard.

Dress goods, at 50c; sold everywhere else for 75c to \$1 per yard. Handsome line of Silks, Velvets did line of Bed Comforts. and Braids of all descriptions for

trimmings. Penangs, Percales and Fancy Outing Cloths, 5c, 7c and 10c. Table Linens and Towels, at old

prices, notwithstanding tariff ad vance of 20 per cent. Notions of all kinds, and in

on the dollar.

Fall Underwear (for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children) of every de-Novelties in Plain and Fancy scription, at half the usual price. Blankets, \$1 kind for 49c, and

> all-wool at \$2.50 per pair. Splen-Full line of Hosiery—one great special being our Ladies' and Chil-

drens' full seamless, at 10c. We are the only store in town that carries full line of Zephras,

Ice Wool and fancy yarrs We still sell 10-4 Pepperel sheeting at 18c. and extra good bleached and unbleached cotton at 5c.

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BY MARY E. MITCHELL.

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COD land!" said Mrs. Collins, I seating herself on the bench in front of the poorhouse door. "Good

She had just retired, worsted, from a contest with old Betsey Tucker, and her faculties needed collecting, her wounded pride soothing.

If anything could calm her ruffled old feelings the sights and sounds of that June day should have done so. The air was sweet and balmy, the afternoon sun golden, and the lengthening shadows soft on the green sward.

It was one of those happy days when there did not seem anything to do and no particular reason why it should be done; when one felt as irresponsible as the lazy little clouds that floated overhead, and as careless of purpose as the yellow butterfly which flickered above the field flowers.

The uncertainty of spring was past, the heat and burden of the summer not vet come. It was that short betweentimes when nature, for a few precious weeks, abandons her responsibilities and takes a blessed vacation, inviting all her children to join in the revelry.

The bees boomed and buzzed among the flowers which made gay the dooryard; the birds twittered busily overhead; but Mrs. Collins' ears and eyes resisted all temptations to be diverted. Betsey Tucker had been very provok-

"She allers used salt risin's, and as for her pie crust, 'twas heavy as her She givin' me advice! Good tread.

land!" Old Mr. Buck, doubled with rheumatism and tremulous with years, limped up the path and seated himself on the

bench by Mrs. Collins. "Why," he said, blinking at her through his steel-bowed glasses, "you look kind o' het up, M's Collins. You mustn't hurry so, with your age and flesh."

"'Tain't hurry, Mr. Buck; and I ain't so old but I can hold my own yet, thank you. It's imperdence that has riz my blood. I've half a mind to pack up my things and leave the house—and she a Tucker-with Tucker breedin' and Tucker manners! I jest wish Mr. Collins could 'a' heard her this afternoon. He'd say: 'Hannah, you git right out o' here!"

"Where might you think o' goin'?" asked Mr. Buck, rubbing a meditative hand over his knee.

Mrs. Collins waived the question; it was an embarrassing one. There was no hope of Mr. Collins offering her a shelter; the Greenhill graveyard had held him for 30 years. Indeed, there was no one in the town, nor in the wide world, for that matter, to whom Mrs. Collins could flee if she turned her back on the precincts of the town farm.

The poorhouse might not be an aristocratic place in which to pass one's old age, but it was clean and comfortable, and Mrs. Collins knew it.

"I guess there's plenty who would take me in," she said, evasively. "But I don't care to be beholden to nobody. I'll put up with a deal first. If I had what's mine by good rights I'd leave here fast enough. 'Tain't just the place I care to be in."

"I guess that's the case with most of us," responded the old man, with a cracked laugh. "We ain't any of us here by choice, M's Collins; but there's worse places than this."

"I ain't complainin' of the place. M's Chase is a mighty good woman, and there ain't a speck o' dirt to be found, not if you should go down on your knees and hunt for it."

Mr. Buck sighed. It would take more than the satisfaction of finding a speck of dirt to get him down on his poor, stiff knees

"No," conitnued the old woman, "I ain't sayin' anything against the house. but there's them in it who oughter be taught their place."

At this moment the gate opened and a little girl came slowly up the ash path, arm. She was delicate and pretty, about eight years old, with quiet, sober | cups. face, and gentle movements. Her dress extreme; it hung limp and forlorn

ample space for growth. "Now there's a little creetur who oughtn't to be here," said Mr. Buck, as the child vanished through the door. "She wants a mother to make her laugh torn. Even its small capacity was not Weekly. and spank her and put some fol-de-rols filled. The things she could call her on to her."

"Well, I don't know," returned Mrs. Collins. "M's Chase does well by her. Letty's got her life before her, and she won't spend it all here. It's old folks like you and me, Mr. Buck, who are in here for the rest of our days, and who have known somethin' better, who feel it the most."

The two inmates sat on, in the warm afternoon air. Old Mr. Buck dozed peacefully off, but Mrs. Collins did not

yield to the drowsy influence. As the sun went over into the west and its light grew more and more golden, softening everything by its gracious touch, the old woman's thoughts became reminiscent instead of vindictive, and Betsey's aggravating remarks no longer rankled within her.

at the poorhouse door; the little porch was her own. The yard dwindled into a tiny patch of bright-hued flowers, shut There was an unwonted embarrass- the warden has caused a phonograph from the dusty thoroughfare by a small, ment on both sides; but when she got to be placed which repeats to the con-

Her eyes, so faded and dim now, were | child and kissed her.

bright and alert as they gazed into the street, watching for some one.

mured, half aloud; but the very act of won't forget you." speaking drove the pleasant memories forced upon her.

supper, swung by Mrs. Chase's capable hand, and the two old folks on the bench, roused to the present, rose to respond to its call.

"If there was only a place in the world I could call my own!" thought Mrs. Collins. "If it warn't nothing but a shanty I wouldn't complain. This may be comfortable, but it ain't home -it ain't home!" And she went in to her evening meal.

The next forenoon the inmates of the Greenhill poorhouse were thrown into a great state of curiosity and excitement. Mrs. Collins had a caller-a gentleman-with whom she was closeted in Mrs. Chase's own sitting-room for hours! Up and down the narrow hall the old folks hobbled, peering and listening. Dim eyes and dull ears were strained to catch any bit of satisfaction, and tongues wagged accordingly, but nothing could be made of the situa-

One or two glimpses were caught of the object of all this interest, hurrying to and fro from parlor to bedroom, look-

ing most flurried and important. "We'll never git a word outer her til she's a mind to let on," sighed Betsey. "She's dretful close-mouthed. I won't

ask her-not if I die!" At dinner Mrs. Collins' place was va

The large, clean kitchen, with its shining, yellow-painted floor and sunny windows, offered a cheerful eatingroom for the inmates. Mrs. Chase sat at the head of the

table, active and impressive; she did not eat with the paupers, but she always presided over their meals. The inmates manifested an air of sup-

pressed curiosity; Mrs. Chase that of withheld information. At last Betsey could stand the pres-

sure no longer.

"Ain't M's Collins well?" piped she. "Lord, she's well enough!" rejoined Mrs. Chase, dealing out the beef stew with a liberal hand. "But she won't be taking her vittles with the likes of us any more." Then, after a pause calmore startling, she added: "She's had a fortune left her!"

Betsey choked and nearly strangled. The news quite took away her breath: t exceeded her wildest conjectures. "A fortune!" she gasped.

Little Letty dropped her spoon in her in plug." tew, spattering the clean-scrubbed able, and calling down upon herself a eproof from Mrs. Chase.

"Mrs. Collins going away?" she said,

"Goin' away? Well, why should she drive her span?" answered Mrs. Chase. tumn light. Mr. Buck gave his cracked little laugh.

lins wrestling with a pair of lively ward, peering eagerly through the dinhorses amused him. "No," continued Mrs. Chase, rising

she'll speak to us!"

Up in her little room Mrs. Collins was packing her few belongings.

ous, her cheeks flushed, her eyes bright, thing so astounding befallen her.

walls had limited her world; for ten years she had longed for something Them poor critters shall have some more than their bareness could afford. Now she was to leave them forever.

Her unexpected inheritance was not of the proportions described by Mrs. Chase, but it was ample enough to secure her a comfortable home and attendance.

Her eyes wandered out of the narrow holding her school books under her pane to the hill slope, which was drifted with daisies and golden with butter-

"This window has the sightliest view was clean and whole, but plain in the in the house," she said to herself, and she sighed a little. "I wonder who'll about her slender limbs, and afforded have it now?"

A little old trunk stood open on the floor. A shabby trunk of rusty black, studded with dull, brass-headed nails, its once bright paper lining faded and own were so pitifully few!

Mrs. Collins eyed its scanty contents. "I'll buy the best black cashmere there is in the market! Betsey Tucker might as well have that brown shawl. I sha'n't never use it again. She and me won't quarrel any more, I guess. She won't feel like contradictin' me now, even if she gits a chance!"

About four o'clock that afternoon a hack drove up to the door of the poorhouse. It had come to take Mrs. Collins and her belongings to the hotel.

The inmates were out in full force to see their former companion depart. There were various feelings represented in that little gathering-envy, jealousy, a good deal of curiosity, considerable importance that one of their number should be so favored, a large Even the scenes about her faded from share of genuine good-feeling for the if that collector only meant to tell me her conscious gaze. She was not sitting fortunate one, and real regret at the I was in the wrong train.-Tit-Bits. parting.

Mrs. Collins shook hands all around. to Letty she put her arms around the victs the charges made against them in Lat.

"I shall come to see you all some times," she said, with just a strain of "It's most time for William," she mur- patronage in her tone. "Good-by.

She stepped into the carriage—the from her mind, and the reality was door was shut on her old life, Mr. Buck stiffly waved his old straw hat, me." The big bell rang out its summons to the driver clucked to his horses, and Mrs. Collins drove away, an inmate of the poorhouse no longer.

She turned to look back before bend of the road hid the farm from

waved their fresh young leaves, and her world stood about the door.

lins could not quite understand came, over her, followed by the quick sense of her new independence.

"Well," said she, settling herself down to the unaccustomed comfort of the easy carriage, "that's the last of the poorhouse for me! They can't expect me to company much with them. I'm goin' to have a house of my own." The summer passed on, leaving in

Greenhill memories of parching days, wilting foliage and dusty roads. Poorhouse Hill caught every little wind, and the air was fresher and cooler than in ed tidings of Mrs. Collins and her new prosperity. She never came near her old abode.

Then autumn had its turn, and the drooping foliage blazed in a fire of red and gold-a fire which burned out all too quickly, leaving bare branches and

leaves as its ashes. One bleak November day, when the wind was raw from the east and the earth lay waiting for its white covering, Mrs. Collins again drove out in the Greenhill hack, this time towards the poorhouse.

Her portly figure was well clothed, and instead of her old worn and rusty cloak she was wrapped in a warm, furtrimmed garment. Her face shone with an eager expression.

The inside of the carriage was heaped with bundles, and two good-sized trunks behind threatened to break the strap which held them to the rack.

The driver urged his horses over the culated to make the announcement rough, frozen road, but even his persuasions in the shape of cluck and whip did not quicken their speed enough to satisfy the impatience of Mrs. Collins. "I'm so glad I can have my old room!"

she said to herself, but aloud. "There never was a prettier outlook than out "Yes," said Mrs. Chase, important in of that winder down over the hill. her knowledge. "A cousin she ain't Well, well-what a time I had with heard on for years has died out west, them trustees gettin' 'em to take me and she bein' the only livin' relative, the as a boarder! Who'd 'a' thought there money falls to her. I don't know jest | could 'a' bin any henderance after all how much it is, but by what the lawyer | the years I've lived there as a pauper? said, I reckoned it was a heap. She's Trustees are queer critters, but I got goin' down to the Greenhill hotel this the best of 'em. Land, how slow these afternoon-hired the best room for a horses go! Betsey'll be tickled to death week. Oh, I can tell you, there's no with that dress; it's as good a piece as more of us for her! This ain't the kind | ever was made. I hope Mr. Buck's toof a place people with fortunes stays | baccy's the kind he likes; it's resky for women to try to suit a man-'specially

Here Mrs. Collins laid her hand or various parcels with an air of pleased expectancy.

"As for Letty," she continued, "she fimidly. Mrs. Collins had been good to shall have a chance—the chance I'm too old to take, or even want."

The carriage turned the bend and stay at the town farm, I'd like to know, the brick building came into view, when she's rollin' in money and can looking barer than ever in the gray au-

Mrs. Collins' eyes brightened. Her Somehow the picture of stout Mrs. Colbreath came quickly, and she bent forgy glass.

"Well, that's the best sight I've seen and taking an Indian pudding from the | for many a day," she said, smiling. "I stove. "We won't see no more of Mrs. wonder if they're expectin' me. I de-Collins. I expect it's as much as ever clare, it will seem like good old times to hear Betsey hold forth. Them trustees said they were afeerd it would demoralize the others to have me there Her movements were quick and nerv- as a boarder. Make 'em discontented seein' me have privileges they couldn't and her gray curls bobbing excitedly have. I don't want no privileges. on her forehead. Never before had any- They've made me pay high enough to have 'em, goodness knows! but I'll For ten years those whitewashed never be happy anywhere else, and the everyday livin's good enough for me. good times if I can make 'em.

"If there ain't Letty-bless her litat the door; he'll git cold in his rheu-

heart to have such a welcome!" drive and stopped at the porch.

welcome her new boarder.

hands out in all embracing greeting. had the utmost confidence, being, in The tears were rolling down her cheeks. fact, his own special comrade, invited

## A Railway Drama.

Scene I.—Train stopping at a big junction. Ticket Collector (examining passenger's ticket)-This won't do, si. You'll have to get out and-

Passenger-I shall not get out. I refuse to be bullied by you; here is my card; you have your remedy (etc., etc.). Ticket Collector-I only wanted to say, sir-

"Don't talk to me; you're only a menial; fetch the station-master." "It's all right, sir."

(Train proceeds, and passenger relates tales of his various triumphs over railway officials.)

Scene II .- A dark and lonely railway platform. One melancholy figure, brooding. Passenger (thoughtfully)-I wonder

-In the jail yard of a Mexican prison the voices of their victims.

TRAMPS HAVE A NEW ROMANCE Coax Nickels from the Tender-Heart-

ed with Tales of the Klondike. "Please, ma'am, will you help me a little? I'm a poor woman with six children to support and no husband to help

"Is your husband dead?"

"No, ma'am; he's gone to the Klondike and he won't be back until next year." "Gone to the Klondike!" This is the burden of the plaint with which the child beggars of Chicago and their The bare, brick building stood in a mothers are endeavoring to excite symflood of sunshine, the flowers flamed in pathy and draw forth the coin of the the dooryard, the great trees softly realm this autumn. "Gone to the Klondike," will serve for "patter" admirathe group which for so long had been bly all winter. Always on the lookout for new ideas, the professional beggars A queer little feeling which Mrs. Col- of the city have deserted their timeworn hard luck and no work in favor of the Klondike song, and every other feminine or childish mendicant who haunts back doors and street corners will make use of it this winter. Nor is the "Gone to the Klondike" idea confined to the women and children by any means.

The authorities of the charitable societies are growing weary of Klondike tales of woe, and the novelty of such narrations has long since worn off for the dwellers in comfortable residence districts. Unless something new turns up to once more whet the public appetites the village below. But no breeze waft- for Klondike details of all kinds the tramps and beggars are likely to find their newest excuse growing decidedly stale before the season closes.

"Just how and where the tramps and mendicants acquire the knowledge which enables them to take advantage of every public happening of note is a brown fields, and heaps of shriveled question which has always puzzled me greatly," said a man who has grown old in caring for and working among the people of this class in Chicago, "but that they do acquire it somehow is unquestionable, as everyone who has ever worked among tramps and beggars will admit. Whenever anything of public interest happens it is immediately turned to account by the men, women, and children who live by their wits and the careless generosity of other people. Thus the world's fair, the financial panic, the yellow fever scare, and a host of other notable occurrences have all been turned to practical account by

> The Klondike story, in all its varied manifestations, began to make its appearance just as soon as the nights grew chilly. It was quite too good an opportunity for the ingenious tramp to lose. It is impossible to prove or disprove it, and anything which pertains to the Klondike is popular with the publie just now. And then, too, the idea of the wonderful finds of gold took possession of Weary Willie's imagination beyond a doubt. There is something about the idea of large sums of money, or money's worth, which is irresistibly attractive to the ordinary man's fancy, especially if he happens to possess little or none of that commodity, and the tramp with the Klondike story undoubtedly enjoys telling it far more

> than he would a less romantic tale. This is true for the women and children also, although to a lesser extent but the "husband gone to the Klondike" romance is one of the best dodges which could be worked, speaking from a financial standpoint. The idea of a woman parted from her husband, or of hungry children whose father is away laboring for the gold which is to make them all happy later, is one which appeals, almost irresistibly, to the average generous man or woman, and success generally attends its development.-Chicago Tribune.

### CHINESE MURDERER. Two Hundred Detectives Required in

Order to Capture Him. In July last at Newchang, in China, 200 government detectives were sent to arrest in that town a notorious murderer, who, under the name of Kang, resided some years ago in Peking, where he lived in good style. Being of a quarrelsome and reckless disposition he, during that time, knifed 40 men, and such was his skill that none of his victims ever recovered, death, as a rule, being instantaneous. Members of his sect were pressed into the government service and sent to scour the country disguised as cake venders, and dispatches were forwarded to all the district officials to the effect that should tle heart! And old Mr. Buck standin' it be proved that Kang had been in their town or district without capture being matics, sure. But it does warm one's effected, the consequence to themselves would be unpleasant, and a special band The carriage rolled slowly up the of Peking detectives was also sent on his track. In spite of all Kang would The inmates crowded around the probably have eluded them had not the door, and Mrs. Chase came forward to detectives come across a friend of his whom they prevailed upon to act as a Mrs. Collins descended, holding both | decoy. This man, Lien, in whom Kang "Well, well, Betsey!" she cried, fair- Kang to dinner, and as the latter entered y hugging her; "I'm glad enough to the door, bowing the usual salutation, see you. Yes, yes; I've come back for he was seized from behind, thrown on good. Go the world over and you won't his face, and ironed. With the usual find any place like home!"-Leslie's Chinese brutality, the detectives further secured him by fixing iron rings through each shoulder, and then carried their prisoner by rail to Peking. His sufferings must have been extreme, and yet in a spirit of bravado at a temporary halt he regaled the crowd by singing a comic song.-London An-

Preposterous. "Miller is a fellow who makes a good many unwarranted pretensions, isn't

"I never noticed that he was. What has he been doing to give you such an opinion of him?"

"Well, for instance, he came around, the morning after Thanksgiving and claimed to be all knocked out on account of too much turkey. Why, he boards."-Chicago News.

Obeying Instructions. "Children, I hope you peeled the apples before eating them?" "Yes, mother dear."

"What have you done with the peel-"Oh, we ate them after!"--What to



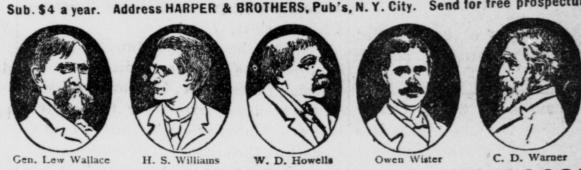
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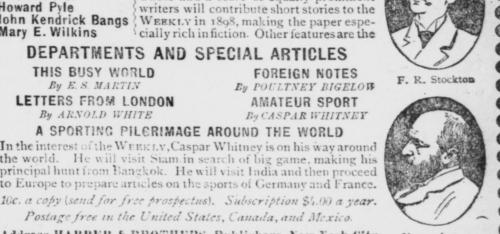
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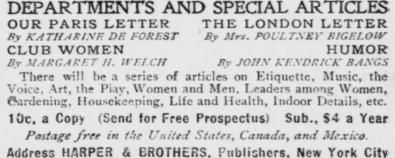
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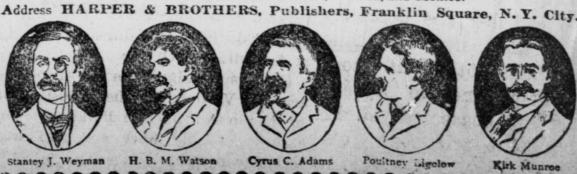
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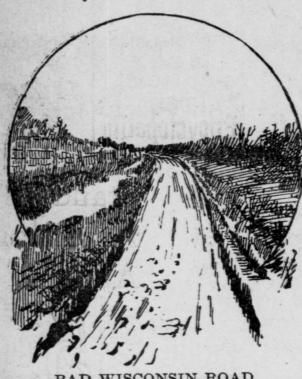
## AGRICULTURAL HINTS

STATE AID FOR ROADS.

The Important Subject Interestingly Treated by Gen. Stone. The subject of state aid for road building was touched on by Gen. Stone in his address at the annual convention of the National Road parliament. He

said: "The provision of state aid is the only possible method by which the state and the corporate property of the cities can aid in the building of roads Throughout the United States the cities and corporations, so far as know, are quite willing to help, and the only question is how they can do it.

"It is of more vital importance to the cities to have good country roads than it is to the people of the country themselves. Every ounce of food that is consumed in the cities must come from the country, and if the country roads were wiped out to-day, the farmers could go right on living, but the people of the cities would have to scatter tomorrow-they could not live a day. They are beginning to realize it; they are beginning to feel that they want a hand in the building of the roads, and they have a feeling of very warm interest. A great many city people are going to the country that formerly did not go at all, and they would go a great deal more if they had good country roads, and 'state aid' is the only measure that any of us have been able to de-



BAD WISCONSIN ROAD. (Located Between Winneconne and Ponsippi.)

vise by which city and corporate property can aid in the development of the country roads.

"I was interested in what one gentleman said the other morning, that in his own township, his village and his bank paid three-fourths of the township tax, and that was a fair contribution. That was unquestionably fair so far as his township was concerned, but how about the next township that has no village and no bank? We must look beyond our own immediate neighborhood; we must cultivate a wider citizenship, and that feeling of wider citizenship is growing-a feeling that the favored localities must help those not so favored.

"I am glad to say that the actual possession of good roads, wherever I have known it, has had a great effect in developing that kinder feeling and broader citizenship. It has been a marked planted the trees were the large, overfact in New Jersey that the localities good roads are the first to vote to give state aid to the localities that have not | They were carried from the nursery good roads. Many men say: 'We see the benefits of it; we have the benefits of it, and we can afford to help our neighbors enjoy it.' And you will find 1890 these trees bore an immense crop, out. that the movement for state aid, wherever it goes, will help to develop a

broader citizenship. "I hope that some time federal aid will broaden it still more. I hope that the people of the United States, in the more-favored regions, will feel disposed, as they get the benefit of good roads themselves, to help confer those benefits upon the regions that have not the advantages. I believe that every step taken, every judicious step taken towards bringing about the aid of the federal government towards general road improvement will help to develop that feeling all through the United States; that we have got to consider something beyond our own neighborhoods-beyond our own counties and beyond our own states. We have got to look over the whole field of the United States and see what the general government can do to help the people who need this kind of help everywhere."

## ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Root pruning is one way of dwarf-

The peach will thrive best grafted on plum stock.

ing fruit trees. Few kinds of fruit are easier grown

than the cherry.

Mulch the strawberries as soon as the ground freezes.

Black knot is a fungus growth. Cut off and burn all affected branches.

Orchard grass and clover are good for seeding down an orchard. Red raspberries are the sweetest. The

plants increase by suckers or sprints. An onchard should never be plowed deep on account of the injury to the roots of the trees.

There is nothing that will tend to the development of roots as bone and ashes mixed with muck.

That a tree does not bear a good crop of fruit every year is not an indication straw and keeping it in place by such a that it is diseased.

To prevent sheep from gnawing trees apply a wash of whale oil, soap, sheep tions as to its construction are necesdroppings and lime. Thoroughly whitewashing

and pests that live on the bark. One advantage of rolling ground as in location for the orchard is that it

Set each tree with care, placing it in rich soil, and packing fine, melfow soil thoroughly in around the roots.

gives a better circulation of air.

Louis Republic.

DON'T KILL THE TOADS.

They Are Valuable Friends to the

Gardener and Fruit Grower.

Bulletin 46 of the Hatch (Mass.) station says the toad lives ten to forty years, does not begin to raise young till the fourth year, but then lays over 1,000 eggs a year. It has lived two years without food, but cannot live long under water. It never takes dead or motionless food. It takes its food by means of its tongue alone, and it operates this so rapidly that the eye cannot follow its motions. It catches and ants, beetles, worms, spiders, snails. bugs, grasshoppers, crickets, weevils, caterpillars, moths, etc. The station examined with a microscope the contents of the stomachs of seven toads in April, 30 in May, 36 in in June, 26 in July, ten in August and seven in September-149 in all. On an average it was found that 80 per cent. of the toad's food consists of harmful insects, and 11 per cent. was of such beneficial insects as bees, spiders, lady bugs, etc. The stomach that doesn't flinch at yellow jackets, wasps, blister beetles and click beetles or pinch bugs, would seem to be prepared for anything in the bug of food that a toad's stomach can accommodate is remarkable. In one were found 77 myriapods, in another 55 army worms, in another 15 gypsy moth caterpillars; in another nine ants, six cut worms, five myriapods, six sow bugs, one weevil and one wire worm beetle. In 24 hours the toad consumes enough food to fill its stomach four times Feeding at the rate above mentioned a single toad will in three months devour over 10,000 insects. If every ten of these would have done one cent damage, the toad would have saved ten dollars. Evidently the toad is a valuable friend of the farmer, gardener and fruit grower, and can be made especially useful in greenhouse, garden and berry patch.

### PLANTING FRUIT TREES.

re to Cut Off All Injured or De. fective Roots.

When planting a tree, cut off all in jured or defective roots. If unevenly rooted, or roots all on one side, an incision in or through the bark will greatly accelerate root growth, by starting new roots. Avoid top mutilation when planting, and at all other times. The only occasion for cutting a tree is to prevent forks. Thinning the branches will prevent this. Foliage is essential to root development. Good tops are better than good roots. When transplanting I care little whether a tree has roots at all when planting. It must have a top. I will supply the roots. How? By giving it a good top. Nurserymen have long instructed their essary privacy—a quality, by the way, patrons to conform the top to match | which passengers would do well to rethe roots. Bah! There never was a greater mistake. More than 20 years ago, in root-grafting apples, I experimented with scions of water sprouts four or five feet long on bits of roots not over an inch in length. They grew readily. The roots of a tree are only necessary to start growth and hold the tree in an upright position until roots are formed. The last apple orchard I grown ones that were unsalable. They which have taxed themselves to get were four years old and so large that two men were necessary to handle. and roots closely trimmed. Not a branch of the top was touched with saw or knife. This was in 1886. In and being sold on the trees, were guessed by the purchasers at two barrels of marketable fruit per tree .-Western Fruit Grower.

## PROTECTION FOR TREES.

An Effective Guard Which Costs But a Few Cents.

There are few farms where some such device as the one portraved herewith may not be of great value. It is cheap, yet effective in its purpose; can be used for large trees and shrubs, as well as for smaller ones. Where a valuable tree or shrub is in danger from rabbits, this guard will protect it. In many localities it is almost indispensable in the winter, as it serves the tree from being



PROTECTION FOR TENDER SHRUBS.

broken by snow and ice and during the summer animals will not molest it. This is also an effective method for covering many half-hardy shrubs or young trees which cannot be bent down to the ground. By surrounding the tree with device, very good results will generally be obtained. No description or instrucsary, as it speaks for itself. Care should be taken when used in the summer that trunks of trees destroys lichens, insects | the air and sun are not excluded .- Farm and Home.

## A Practical Road Lesson.

Towns in South Carolina, located near to the state line and not far from Charlotte, N. C., have lost much trade of late, as the farmers prefer to haul over the good roads into another state in pref-The quince is one of the best ship- erence to using the poor roads of their ping fruits that can be grown. It is own state. This experience has been easily propagated by entting. - St. instrumental in inaugurating a movement for good roads in South Carolina, TRAVELING BY SEA.

The Multifarious Requirements of an

Ocean Passenger Steamer. First-class passengers must have a large and handsome dining saloon; indeed, the commissariat department could not be managed at all if it were not dealt with en bloc. The ladies must have a drawing and music room. The studious must have a library. The men must have a smoking-room. Everybody must have a bed, and all must have room for exercise in the open air when inclined for it. Similar but less elaborate conveniences must be provided devours bees, wasps, yellow jackets, for those who wish to travel in the same ship but who are unable or unwilling to pay the highest fare. In many cases a third class of accommodations is given for emigrants and those to whom cost is a matter of the first moment. According to their several ranks all these passengers must be waited upon, so that a large body of stewards and servants must be carried in addition to the crew of navigators and engineers.

With this large number of people to be fed, cooking arrangements of the most elaborate and complete kind must be made. Provisions must be stored in such a manner as to remain fresh and good throughout the voyage, and for line, and it doubtless is. The quantity | this purpose steam refrigerating machinery and cold storage chambers are usually provided at the expense of some of the cargo space. A practically unlimited supply of fresh water must be allowed to everybody on board, and yet the arrangement for its supply must be such that everything like waste shall be prevented.

The passenger is by nature a grumbler, and being shut up for days together on an island from which there is no escape, with little occupation but to find fault, he must be an angel indeed if he uttered no complaint. It is the constructor's province, if possible, to shut his mouth by anticipation.

This huge floating caravansary has to be lighted, warmed and ventilated. The progress in lighting by incandescent electric lamps without vitiating the atmosphere has been an immense advantage to passenger steamers, even

though it be a costly light. The maintenance of an equable temperature, with pure fresh air free from draughts, warm enough in cold climates and cool enough in hot latitudes, presents almost insurmountable difficulties. Where spaces are so contracted and nooks and corners so numerous the air must lie quiescent unless disturbed by currents too violent to be admissible; and it is to be feared that even in the best vessels there must still be a smell of the ship, shippy. In recent practice all unnecessary linings have been removed and all apartments egress of air as is consistent with necmember is never absolute on board ship. -Cassier's Magazine.

## HE ORDERED LOBSTERS.

And the Waiter Could Not Make Him Regret It.

A certain western congressman came here at the beginning of the last sesthe large hotels, and arriving after the were classed with them, and he determined to try the new delicacy.

to the waiter. The waiter's eyes stood

"Sah!" he gasped. congressman, who hadn't the mildest a dozen lobsters, didn't I? Will I have to have my orders printed and bound and sent by mail? Didn't I say I wanted a dozen lobsters?"

"Yas, sah," said the waiter, "but it's a large order."

"I ordered it, didn't I?" snapped the congressman. "Don't I look like a man who knows what he wants? Did I say I wanted a small order? I want a dozen lobsters, I say."

Well, later three waiters, or perhaps

it was four waiters-anyway it seemed to the congressman like a Labor day parade of waiters—appeared bearing lobsters. The room fairly blushed with lobsters. The congressman was taken aback, but seeing a grin on the face of the foremost waiter he drew himself up and ordered the lobsters set down. The waiters departed. The congressman sat down and ate lobsters till the very thought of lobsters made him groan. Then he opened his trunk and filled it full of lobster meat. The night was dark and rainy. The congressman opened his window and deftly threw choice morsels into the street. It took him nearly all night to do it, but when the waiter was summoned he fairly turned pale. There was one-half of a lobster and a mighty pile of debris. And the bill the congressman had to pay before he left with his trunk full of lobsters next day was really cheap for the pleasure of seeing the look of awe which came over the waiter's face as the congressman remarked, carelessly: "Take these things away; I wasn't very hungry."-Washington Post.

Mexican Justice.

In Mexico the law's delays are less rexatious than in the United States. indeed, one hears nothing at all about felay in the administration of Mexican justice. A short time ago a paymaster went down into Sonora with between \$6,000 and \$7,000. He stopped over night at a ranch, where he was robbed and nurdered. The robbers were caught by the local police, but the magistrate discharged them. Then the government ook a hand in the affair. The robbers were caught again and shot immediatev. the magistrate who had acquitted hem was shot, the ranchman at whose souse the robbery occurred was shot, some distant accessories after the fact were shot. In all, 16 men were shot, ind now life and property are the safer a Sonora.-Chicago Chronicle.

WHAT A WOMAN CAN DO.

The Success of a Gentlewoman in Con-

ducting a Pottery. A pleasant story is that told of Lady Helene de Hangest-Genlis, who set up a small pottery on her estate, the old Chateau of Oiron, somewhere about the year 1524, where she employed a potter and made the famous Faience

She was a widow, cultured, and of artistic skill and instincts. A collection of her crayon portraits is said to have been preserved; but it was not in this, but in the manufacture of the china that she made a name for herself. Not more than 50 pieces are now known to be in existence. All of them are small, but of surpassing beauty, and supposed to have been made only as gifts or souvenirs for friends. They have an inlaid ornament of interlacing bands or scrolls, arabesques and geometrical forms of tinted clays, yellow and brown, relieved with soft colors on a cream-white ground, forming a smooth surface, and covered with a

Such was the occupation that filled the leisure hours of this lady of Hangest, and we may fancy her in the quaint costume of her time dabbling in the soft clays and wish we knew more of her plans and experiments, of the trials and failures that led up to her success; for she must have had many before she brought her unique productions, unlike anything made in that or later days, up to the perfection she did. We do not know the interest with which she watched the firing of her furnace, and the anxious hours of waiting before it could be opened and its story told. Then the feeling of delight when the reward of success came, or the reasoning out of the cause of failure and the plans for another trial, with renewed pluck and determination, for "when a woman wills, she will." Who that fires a kiln and is following up a line of experiments does not understand the fascination of it?

And she must have possessed strongly-marked taste and individuality, which she carried out in her own way, for it is said that after her death, when the pottery passed into the hands of her son, who kept it up for many years, the wares, while still fine, lost their beautiful simplicity, became more elaborate; and modeled forms, both plant and animal, were added.

Surely it is a lesson that women of wealth and leisure of to-day might profit by. How many there are who could set up a small workshop of some kind! And if they lack the skill or inclination to do for themselves employ some one to work out choice designs thrown as open for the free ingress and for them, gifts that would be worth the giving-metal work in its different branches, pottery and decoration, leather and wood-carving-and many an artist artisan might thus be given chance to develop schemes that can never be carried out for lack of means. -Art Amateur.

Seeing Things Right Side Up.

Some persons find difficulty in understanding how, since the images of objects looked at are inverted in .the sion of congress. He stayed at one of eyes, we nevertheless see the objects right side up. Recent experiments by dinner hour, he ordered supper served | Dr. Stratton indicate that we possess in his room. Lobsters were on the bill an interesting power of adjustment in of fare. Now, the congressman knew this regard. He wore inverting glasses oysters and he knew clams. Lobsters which reversed everything within reach of his eyes, so that, for him, the ground was above and the sky below, while "Bring me a dozen lobsters," he said things on the right side were seen on the left and things on the left appeared on the right. Continuously for eight days he wore the glasses, and within "You heard me, didn't you?" said the | that time all his bodily movements became adjusted to the new order, so that temper in the world. "I said I wanted he could walk the streets without much difficulty.—Youth's Companion.

## An Oriental Idea.

Oriental princes entertain no objection whatsoever to marriage with women of the civilized west, and are utterly indifferent to all considerations of birth and rank, esteeming the fair sex as being of far too inferior an order of humanity for their parentage and social status to be taken into consideration. Therefore there would be no object whatsoever in Mehemet Ali, the younger brother of the khedive, surrendering his rights of succession to the khedival throne, of which he is now heir apparent, in the event of his wedding an American girl.-N. O. Picayune.

## THE MARKETS.

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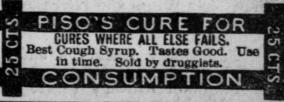
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ersville Mickens Squire h and 17th st 2 17 Miller Jeff h and l Lylesville Minor James h and l Coulthards Mitchell Jno h and l Claysville

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Murphy Alonzo h and l Claysville 4 30 Murphy Dan Jr h and l Claysville 3 85 Murray Martin h and 18th st 3 85 Myers Henry 3 h and lots Clays-

Nichols Annie h and l Ruckerville 1 55 Nutter Wm h and l Claysville Offutt Chas Sr Brentsville Oldham Caroline h and I Claysville 1 90 Porter Cathrine h and 1 Brentsville near John Stout Porter Fannie 1/2 acre near Catharine Porter

Portes George h and 1 Brentsville 4 70 Porter John's Heirs hand | Brents-Powell, Harrison h and 1 Rucker-

Railey Sophia h and I Claysville Reese James h and l Williams st 3 45 Reid T Augustus h ard 1 Sycamore street Rice John Sr h and l Williems st Rice John Jr h and l Cladsville

Riley Henry h and l Newtown Richey, James h and l Roberts Fannie hand l Pearl st 185 Robinson Lowry h and l Williams street Rose, Tom h and l Williams st

Rounds, Rachel hand I Lylesville 1 85 Scott Annie n R h and 1 Connelly Alley Sharp Annie h and l Vine st Small, Ben h and I Williams st Small, Ed h and l Newtown Small Riley h and I Williams st

Smith Gus h and l Lylesville Smith Mag h and l Lylesville Smith Mariah and l Newtown Smoot. Chas N R h and 1 Claysville

tion Spears Frank h and l Ruckerville 6 68 Spears Mary h and l Lylesvi!le 2 70 Spears W H h and L Ruckerville 9 60 Taylor Walker h and l Marshall st 4 30 Thomas, Gabe Agt Sallie's Est h and 17th st Tib s Louisa h and l Clintonville pike

Tiffy Sol h and I Lylesville Tillman Emamuel h and 1 Claysville Todd Wm h and l Brentsville Veach Wm h and 1 acre by Easter Reese Brentsville Walker Henry h and l Claysville 3 85

Ward Ellen N R Ruckerville Ware Jane h and l Sycamore st Brooks Henry h and l Lylesville 4 30 Warren Joe h and l Claysville 3 45 Watts Anderson agt h and l Lilleston addition

Watts Willis and Bettie h and 1

Marshall st 3 55 Whittaker Annie h and l Claysville 2 27 Wickliffe Henry n r h and l Black's Cross Roads Williams Clay h and 1 Claysville 5 13 Williams Geo No. 1 1/2 acre Georgetown pike Williams Harriet h and I Lylesville 2 27 Williams Jas h and I Marshall st 3 85 Williams Mary 1/4 acre by Coulthard's Mill

3 12 Williams Pattie n r h and 1 Clays-Williams Tom h and l Hanson st Wilson Josie h and 17th st Wilson Minnie 1/4 acre by Coulthard's Mill Evans Wm h and l Brooks addition 5.14 Woodward Laura n rh and l Lyles-1 55

ville MILLERSBURG, WHITE.

2 10 Bowles, T. E. 25 acres by Martin Bowles 1896 2 61 Best, W H 53 acres by T F Triplett 17 54 George, Mrs Frank 100 acres by John Hunter

2 27 List, Mrs W H 103 acres by Dr McNamara, Jas h and l Millers-Nesbitt, Wm Sh and I near college 5 13 5 61 Ware, Mrs Mary 11 acres by John Hamilton Williams, W E and Gregg 77 acres

> Wilson MILLERSBURG COLORED. Allen Frank h and I Shipptown 3 45 Stone, H C and R M 70 acres by Mrs Allen Harriet h and I Main st Millersburg Allen James h and l Main st Mil-

Wrenn, Mrs J H 50 acres by B

by Jas Bramblette

4 71 Allen Moll.e h and 1 Shipptown Baker Sarah h and l Millersburg Bradley Ben h and l Railroad st 3 69 Breckinridge Patsy h and 1 Shipp-Burl Mary h and l Millersburg near Dr Hurt

Carr Huldah h and l Main Back st 3 12 Cavanaugh Millie h and l Millers-Conway Jordan h and l Man st 4 77 Griggs Evaline h and l Shipptown 1 85 Hawkins Nancy J est 2 acres by Ed

Miles R Mills pike Hend rson Robt and Elizabeth h and I Millersburg 5 55 Holliday Lottie h and l Millers-Huffman, Mary h and I Shipptown 3 31

Hughes Nannie h and l Millers-Hutchins Enoch h and 1 Millers-Hutsell Nancy h and l Millersburg 2 08

Johnson John h and | Reubensville 3 07 King Louisa h and l Shipptown 2 (8 Lawson Matilda h and I Lawson-Mengheirs h and 1 Main st Millers-

Pel man Wm h and | Main st Perry Wm hand 1 Millersburg Peyton Pauline hand 1 Millersburg Robinson, Millie J h & l Lawson-

Stevens, Silas h& 1 Mb l'aylor, Joan h & l Mb Thompson, Tom h & I Shipptown Trotter, Milt h & l R R St Mb Turner, Lettie h & l Shipptown Turney. Sam h & 1 Mb Washington, Em h & l Mb White, Richard h & 1 Mb Wilson, Henry h & l Shipptown

Wilson, John h & I Shipptown

Wilson, Smith h & 1 Shipptown

FLAT ROCK, WHITE.

3 00 Alexander, Geo 2 acres by Mrs Potts Bramblette, BF 98 acres by E Cray, Malinda's Est 38 acres by Geo Smith Crouch, Bob n r 71 acres by Nels Sledd Crouch, I B 45 acres by Cap Gillis-Elliott, W H 80 acres by B F Chip-

> Elliott, Margaret 25 acres Ly B Evans, W O 2 lots Flat Rock Frazier, Sarah D n r 25 acres by Cap Gillispie Garrett, Wesley 1 acre by John

Chipley, BF 3 acres by EO Elliott 5 24

Mansfield

Gibson, W L 277 acres by Ed Rice 92 35 Graves, P B 34 acres by Mrs R Henry Graves. Mrs E E 54 acres by Mrs Henry Sharp, H R 1 lot Jackstown McKenzie, Mrs Martha 1 lot Little Rock

20 19 Squires, Mrs. Lillie 20 Jacres by Booth 99 Stewart, A A 7 acres by Shop Cane Caleb Bounds

LITTLE ROCK, COLORED.

Allen, Mitch h & l Little Rock Berry, Amanda 6 acres by Carpen-Cunningham, Sarah h & 1 Little 1 85 Green, A J 4 acres by Chas Simp-Grinstead, Wm 10 acres Bunker's

5 24 Hughes, Bettie 10 acres by H Wilson Hutsell, Jno D Little Rock Kerr, Harriet h & l Little Rock Neal, Francis h & l Little Rock Simpson, Cornelius 5 acres by A P 6 99

Smith, John 28 acres by D L Rob-Williams, Frank Sr 10 acres by Tom Woodford NORTH MIDDLETOWN, White. Bradley Geo 4 acres near C Gillispie 4 35

Broughton Chas 1 N M Caldwell Josh Jr 10 acres near McLeod Cline W A h and l N M 11 07 Holder W N n r 28 acres by J Scott 8 93 Owens Mrs Ann n r 43 acres near Col Prescott

NORTH MIDDLETOWN, COLORED. Bowles, Ben 4 acres by R L Col-Butler, Anderson 8 acres by Wm Wade

Childs, Lawson h & l N M Dergin, Chas h & l N M 3 85 Gatewood, Jno NRh &1 Goodwin, Mary and Lena 19 acres by Mrs Eliza Wade Hastings, Todd h & l N M Harris, Joe 1/4 acre Levy Pike Kenney, Aaron h & 1 N M McClure, Jeff Sr 1 acre Levy Pike 3 90 Mark, Crit 1/2 acre Levy Pike

CLINTONVILLE, WHITE.

Beasley R N, N R 51 acres by Clintonville Dennison J J lot Clint Nichols J W 1 Clint Renick Mrs Harriet Clint

Schooler, Jas h and l N M.

Schooler, Ben h & 1 N M

CLINTONVILLE, COLORED. Beatty Napoleon h & 1 Clint No O 4 29 Beatty, Sarah h & l Clint Blackwell, Isabel h & 1 Sidville Cunningham's, Levi estate h & 1

Clint Elkins, Wm h & l Clint Evans, Chas Sr h & 1 Sidville Miles, Henry b & 1 Sidville Reid, Noah and Jane h & 1 Clint Sleagan, Reuben h & l Clint Watts, Emily h & 1 Clint Wells, James h & l Clint

HUTCHISON, WHITE.

13 93 Corbin Miss Mattie and S 119 acres on Maysville Pikes Ingels Heirs, 88 acres by Mrs Belle Giltner Smith C B 84 acresby A H Willett 53 48

HUTCHISON, COLORED.

Frazier, Charlotte lot Emmonsville 2 70 Johnson, James 1 acre by A H Wil-

CENTREVILLE, WHITE,

Allen A L 1 acre Jacksonville Allen E A 113 ac near Jas N Allen 37 53 Allen Jas B. N R 15 ac near Jas Forman Elijah 14 acres near Mrs Henry A J and J R 29 acres SS Ardery Hicks Geo W. N R 1 acre near Jas Ransdall Hildreth Edgar and J B 85 near W A Gaines Ransdall Jas 20 acres near Mrs Sue Ransdall 11 65 Ryles Mrs D A 6 acre near Clay Allen Sheeley Heirs 20 acres near Smith Shropshire Frank 100 acres near Johnathon Davis 38 38 Slack, Jas E 3 acres near A K Haw-6 25 Coke, Mrs M S 30 acres near Mt Car-

11 60 Simpson John N R 266 aces near S J Turley 137 33 Turner, Jno W 250 acre near Mrs 99 37

CENTREVILLE, COLORED.

Armstrong, Horace h & 1 Jackson-Coleman, Minnie h & l Centreville 1 85 Hall, Lewis 1 acre by Calip An-Kane, Wm lot Centreville McCov Bros, Jno and Robt h & Centreville Nix, Bob h & l Centreville Simms, Maria h & l Centreville 1 85 Sparks, Wm h & l Centreville 3 45

RUDDLES MILLS, WHITE.

4 30

3 55

Smith, Wm h & l Centreville

Wilson, Rosa h & l Centreville

5 13 3 45 Strauder, Odd 1 acre by Watt Gay 3 48 Hogg, HB assgne Thos Fisher 131 acres by J H Smith 47 29 Godman, Lucy A est 100 acres by Wash Redmon 27 40 Harris, J Wnr41 acres by Jno A Kiser Jones, Garrett D 1 lot R Mills McClure, J R Agt 8 acres near Ike Keller Padgett, Jas 1 lot R Mills Redmon, Mrs E T 125 acres by Mar Tamme 59 08

3 55 Redmon, Castle 26 acres by Chas Redmon Redmon, John T 8 acres by Berry 2 70 Bedford 4 71 Whitson, G A 1 lot R Mills RUDDLES MILLS, COLORED.

3 01 Bryant, Sam 1 acre Glenntown 3 86 Carter, Cassie lot Shawhan 1 85 Daugherty, Perry N R 1 acre by 3 44 Parker Thomas

Daugherty, Bettie h & 1 R Mills Ewing, Dudley 12 acres Glenn-

Fields, Dave h & 1 R Mills Glenn, Hiram h & 1 Glenntown Henderson, George h & 1 R Mills Johnson, Alfred h & 1 R Mills Johnson. John A Sr's Hrs h & 1

Johnson, John A Jr h & l Reuben-Johnson, Bob h & I Renbertown Johnson. Walter h & 1 Renbentown 4 2

Love, Jane's Heirs h & 1 R Mills

Talbott, John 1 acre by Wm Miller 3

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